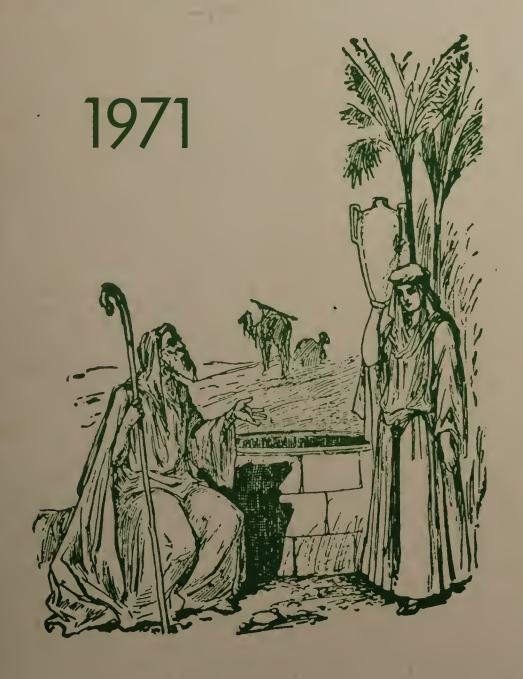
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President Rebekah Assembly of Iowa
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NOTE — The next session of the Rebekah Assembly, Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the State of Iowa will be held in Des Moines, Iowa October 11, 12, and 13, 1972 at the same time and place of the Grand Lodge and Grand Encampment, Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Iowa.

ADVANCE REPORTS

of

Rebekah Assembly

Officers

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly, Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Iowa:

This year has been one of happy experiences which has made it seem a very short year. I have tried to sow seeds of kindness as I traveled on my way and kept my watchwords in my mind and found that the Harvest of Friendliness is Friendship, the Harvest of Devotion is Love and the Harvest of Honesty is Truth. Let us continue to reap these harvests and grow better each day by following the principles of Rebekah - Oddfellowship.

The Fraternal Road of Rebekah - Oddfellowship has been pleasant and it has been a journey I'll never forget, for I found you, my wonderful friends and my life has been enriched by this.

Our year, yours and mine has truly been a success because we have been working side by side to carry out our principles of Friendship, Love and Truth. We have reaped a bountiful harvest of new members into our Fraternal family, our collections for the Home Fund has been more than it has been for a number of years and I feel that it is because "You are Actually, Interested, Fraternally in the success and growth of our wonderful Order."

Your cooperation this year has helped make this a year that I will always remember. I enjoyed the emblem presentations that I attended as well as the programs of them that you sent to me. We have had more enthusiasm in our Order this year and it was truly wonderful to walk through the door of the old Oddfellows hall and find the room filled to capacity. This is what we need and if we each will continue to sow seeds of kindness during the years ahead we will be leaving behind us a heritage much greater than when we received it. THANKS.

LETTER TO LODGES

THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF THE REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA:

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

We stand on the threshold of a new year for Rebekah - Oddfellowship and as President of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa, I extend to each and everyone of you my sincere best wishes for another wonderful and prosperous year. Working together to carry out the principles of Friendship, Love and Truth we can't help but reap a bountiful harvest of new members into our Fraternal Order.

I have enclosed two copies of the President's Program and Year Book. One is to be given to the Noble Grand for 1971 and one to be kept at the hall for the use of the members. I would appreciate it if you would follow the suggestions in the year book and carry out my Program as near as possible. My Program was planned in the hope that it would help our Rebekah lodges grow and prosper and if I can be of any assistance in helping you accomplish this, please feel free to ask.

I am sure from the letters that I have received that your Delegate has visited your lodge, given the report of the Assembly Session, issued Commissions in the Unwritten Work and presented my program, "The Harvest of Rebekah - Oddfellowship".

Thank you, the Rebekah's of Iowa for the privilege of serving as your President and if each of us together will dedicate ourselves to the beautiful teachings of Friendship, Love and Truth and accept the challenge for greater work, we WILL interest others to want to join us and show to everyone that "We are Actually, Interested, Fraternally in the success and growth of our wonderful Order."

Fraternally, Elizabeth Seitsinger Assembly President

LETTER SENT TO DISTRICT DEPUTY PRESIDENTS

To all District Deputy Presidents,

It is with pleasure that I extend to you my best wishes as you have been selected to serve as District Deputy President for your District. This is an honor to you and I am sure that you are also aware of the responsibility that comes with it. Conduct yourself and your work so that the District will be proud of you.

Enclosed is your Commission, read it carefully remembering you are representating your President in your District. This is the highest rank you can attain in your District. The members of the installing staff must be Past Noble Grands in good standing and wearing the proper regalia.

Please read your duties as found in Article 6, Section 7 of the Rebekah Assembly Constitution.

All collections taken at Installations are for the Home Fund. You may send all collections to me after all lodges in your District are installed. Send the name, and number of the lodge and the amount received at each one.

I have enclosed the Term Password, in Key which is used in our lodge meetings and the Annual Password which is used when visiting lodges in another Jurisdiction. You are to communicate these to the Noble Grand and Vice Grand after they have been installed. There is a copy to leave with the Noble Grand to be kept at the lodge hall.

I have enclosed a copy of my year book and program which you can use in giving my program "The Harvest of Rebekah - Oddfellowship". My aim is to strengthen the bonds of Friendship, Love and Truth and promote the teachings of Rebekah - Oddfellowship. If we all have the same aim and work together in Peace and Harmony, we will show to others that "We are Actually, Interested, Fraternally in the success and growth of our Wonderful Order."

You will find a letter and program of the IARA President which you may use in giving the highlights of her program.

I know we are going to enjoy working together this year and that we

can and will accomplish much if we all live, practice and follow the teachings of Friendship, Love and Truth.

> Fraternally, Elizabeth Seitsinger Assembly President

CANVASS OF ELECTION RETURNS FOR ASSEMBLY OFFICERS 1971-1972

In accordance with the Rebekah Assembly Constitution, on June 22nd, 1971 I called two disinterested Past Noble Grands to assist me in counting the votes for the Assembly Officers. They were Mary Shafer and Irene Baughman of Emerald Rebekah Lodge No. 152 of Keota, Iowa. I wish to thank them for their able assistance.

For the benefit of the Election Returns Chairman, I asked Sister

Berniece Westcott to sit in on our Canvass.

For President:

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Lylas Haydon	34 (elected)
For Vice President:	
Maxine Hackbarth	23 (elected)
For Warden:	
Irene Cunningham 92	22
Odetta Mason	30
Edna Ward	38 (elected)
For Secretary:	
Vivian Nelson 262	23 (elected)
For Treasurer:	
Muriel Galvin 262	24 (elected)

No returns received from 2, 12, 48, 122, 124, 138, 179, 180, 285, 361, 375, 418, 442, 451, 470, 473 and 527.

Received too late to count from 10, 22, 49, 126, 238, 366, 373 and 417.

Received day of count from 166 and 594.

Too many votes for Warden from 102 and 448.

Questionable figures for Warden candidate from 237 and 374. No seal from 34, 224, 233, 263, 280 and 519.

No votes recorded from 7.

Improper envelope from 16 and 429.

No Secretary's signature from 5 and 501.

Name and number of lodge omitted from 191, 427, 431 and 486.

Received votes for delegates from 53, 108 and 458.

Noble Grand's signature omitted from 4 and 63.

Voted out of statutory time from 202, 303, 435 and 516.

Not on proper form from 204.

Past Noble Grand's not listed from 595.

Meeting night omitted from 154.

Lodge name omitted from 235.

No seal, date of meeting, name and number of lodge omitted from 144.

Used IOOF seal from 123.

Meeting night, name and number of lodge omitted from 65.

We, the canvassing committee for the votes for Assembly Officers do certify the above count to be correct.

Elizabeth Seitsinger, President Mary Shafer, PNG Irene Baughman, PNG

PASSWORDS

The password was selected to honor my own Emerald Rebekah Lodge No. 152, of Keota, who started me on the road of Rebekah - Oddfellowship by initiating me into the Order in 1944.

The passwords for the Theta Rho Clubs was chosen in keeping with my theme for the first six months and by the Co-Chairman of the Joint Youth Committee, Marjorie Hefte for the last six months.

GREETINGS

The following greetings were sent by the Assembly Secretary to each Rebekah Assembly for their Annual Sessions.

REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA GREETINGS

Dear Sisters:

It is with pleasure that I extend to you and the members of your Jurisdiction my personal greetings and those of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa, may you have a very successful session.

OUR EMBLEM: "The Harvest of Rebekah - Oddfellowship"

OUR MOTTO: "Are you Actually, Interested, Fraternally, in the success and growth of our Order?"

AIM: To strengthen the bonds of Friendship, Love and Truth and promote the teachings of Rebekah - Oddfellowship,

VIVIAN NELSON Assembly Secretary R.R. 2, Clear Lake, Iowa Sincerely and Fraternally ELIZABETH SEITSINGER Assembly President South English, Iowa

THETA RHO GIRLS CLUBS

I have been unable to attend many of the Theta Rho Club meetings this year, but I have encouraged the lodges to take a more active part and interest in the clubs, by joining them at their regular meetings and helping with their activities. They look to the Rebekahs for guidance. I have also urged the Lodges to take an active part in youth groups in their communities in the name of Rebekah - Oddfellowship.

My husband and I enjoyed attending the Installation of the Golden Rule Theta Rho Club No. 6 in Des Moines. The officers did a fine job and they had as their escorts the Junior Boys Lodge of Des Moines.

Now more than ever our clubs need the help of the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs. I am sure that you realize that the young people are a necessary and important part of our Order. Give of your time, effort and talents in behalf of our Youth. Help to instill in them the great teachings of Rebekah - Oddfellowship. What better ways can we show them that we are interested in them and want them to be a real part of and to belong to our beloved Order? Just remember, these fine young men and women are our future Rebekahs.

CORRESPONDENCE AND HAWKEYE ODDFELLOW

One of the pleasures that I have had this year was of writing a letter

to each Rebekah Lodge and Theta Rho Girls Club through my communications in the Hawkeye Oddfellow. I shall miss this greatly. I enjoyed writing these and trust that they were of assistance to you.

A special thanks to Berle J. Starr, Editor for his able assistance and for all courtesies extended to me. This was greatly appreciated and

helped me along my way.

A time consuming but enjoyable duty was that of the daily mail. I had no idea that I would receive so many letters. I have enjoyed opening each one and tried to the best of my knowledge and ability to answer them promptly and according to our Constitution, rules and regulations. I have your letters stapled to my reply and will read them over again in the days ahead and I will be reminded of your friendly and kind words of support and your willingness to carry out my program to show that you were "Actually, Interested, Fraternally in the success and growth of our wonderful Order."

UNITED NATIONS PILGRIMAGE FOR YOUTH

One of the best ways to advertise our Order is through the sponsoring the United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth Tours. Iowa was privileged to send a bus load of young people this year under the capable leadership of Sam Cuvelier as Director and Doris Horner as Tour Leader. My husband and I met the young people on their return trip at Mitchellville and ate supper with them. I have been able to attend several meetings and have heard these young people report to their lodges who had given them this privilege. Their reports were interesting and I know that those who will hear these reports will be able to see the good results and be justly proud of these young people, our adults of tomorrow and future members of our Order.

Iowa was honored again this year by having our own Hallie Posnecker as a part of the New York Staff. My personal "thanks" to all lodges who had a part in sending these young people or entertaining the buses as they traveled through Iowa.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

I have received a report from my Community Service Chairman, Sister Emma Franklin and I am most grateful for the fine ways you are serving your communities. By helping in your communities in their projects we are getting publicity for our Order and letting others know what we as members of our fraternal order stands for.

I enjoyed listening to your lodges reports at the District Conventions and hope that each lodge sent this report to our Chairman. Continue to sow kindly deeds in your homes, churches and communities.

PILGRIMAGE TO THE TOMB OF THE UNKNOWN SOLDIERS

I was unable to attend the Pilgrimage this year due to my convention schedule but I was very happy to have my Outside Stenographer, Florence Hollingsworth to place the wreath for the Jurisdiction of Iowa in my place. I shall always be indebted to her for the fine manner in which she did this. Our fraternal Orders are truly honored to be given this privilege by our government.

I had the privilege of participating in the hall dedication at Galva on May 16th. The ceremony was conducted by our Grand Master Milo Robinson. We enjoyed the fellowship of visiting with so many of our Sisters and Brothers at the noon luncheon. They have a fine hall and one which they can be justly proud.

4-STATE CONCLAVE

It was nice to have our own Jurisdiction be the hosts for the 4-State Conclave which was held at Marshalltown on April 23rd and 24th. This made it possible to have all of my officers and committee chairman to assist me in presenting my program, except two. This was truly one of the highlights of my year and they did an excellent job and looked nice in their colors of blue, green, yellow, brown and orange. It was also a pleasure to have the Inside Guardian of the International Association of Rebekah Assemblies our own Francis Simpson assist me in the presentation. Iowa had the most drill teams and it was a pleasure to assist in presenting the flags and have my father A.I. FitzSimmons serve as my escort. It was also an added treat to have Dr. Moore, husband of the Warden of the International Association of Rebekah Assemblies as my escort for the banquet. It was truly wonderful to see so many members gathered together in Friendship, Love and Truth. Thanks for coming and helping make it a success.

TOWELS FOR HOME

This year I asked our Superintendent Dick Porter if there were something that I could tell our members at the meetings I attended that they could give our Homes besides the money that is taken at our various meetings and he suggested large bath towels and wash cloths. I put this in my Hawkeye Oddfellow communication and you answered my call. In a letter from Brother Dick he says that if they didn't miss a few in their count you contributed 381 bath towels and 309 wash cloths. Also I received the sum of \$70.00 in cash. Thanks for helping your Assembly President and our residents at the Homes at Mason City. This enabled the Advisory Board to put the money that would have been used for the towels somewhere else that it was needed.

OUR HOMES

Our Homes at Mason City is near and dear to each of us. A very vital part of our obligation as members of our fraternal order is to care for our elderly. We are very fortunate that our Home has as Superintendent Brother Richard Porter and to have his good wife Dorothy working with him. They have accomplished much since assuming their duties at our Home. Our residents truly feel that this is "Home" and are very happy and contented.

April 10th was another red letter day as it was the Open House at our Homes. This was well attended and more came for dinner than had sent in reservations but they were taken care of and got plenty to eat. The residents enjoyed visiting with the sisters and brothers and I feel and know that they will be looking forward to this event next year.

Another highlight for me was spending the 19th and 20th of December at the Home as guests of the Porters. My husband, my sister Mary and her husband Elvin accompanied me and we truly enjoyed this and will recall our happy time spent there for years to come. Due to the illness of my husband's Mother, my husband hadn't felt that he could accompany me so the Porter's had invited my Sister and her husband to come with me and then just a week before we were to go, Earl's Mother was called to her heavenly Home. We were saddened by her lost and wish to thank the membership for their kind words of sympathy. It was a joy to have Earl and the Grand Master Milo Robinson go to the rooms and visit with each resident with me. It was wonderful to see their smiling faces and since I have had the pleasure of visiting the Homes on numerous occasions it was nice to have them call me by my name Elizabeth instead of just the Assembly President. This is where you can really see first hand the results of the money which you the members contribute to the Home Fund. Our residents are getting the best of care. Write them letters and most of all take time out to drive to Mason City and see first hand the wonderful care they are receiving. I will always remember your generosity this year as our collections to the end of September at which time I am making my report came to \$7,424.53 and I will have until I leave for the Harvest Sessions to add to this fund. With your help we have reaped a bountiful harvest for our Home Fund. Thanks for seeing that your Sisters and Brothers will be receiving the best of care and that our Homes are the best advertisement that we can have for letting others know what we stand for and that we go about our daily routine of living always thinking of others.

This year it was my pleasure to have our Superintendent sing for me at the Conventions and so I have asked him to come to our Sessions and sing for you. This truly will make my session a very special one.

CONVENTIONS

It was my pleasure to attend 52 of the 54 Conventions plus the Blue Grass Association meeting held at Osceola. Sisters Lylas Haydon, Vice President represented me at the Princeton convention and Sister LaVada Peterson, Past President represented me at the Pierson convention.

I sent only one special request for the conventions this year and that was that if they were to have Degree work then we were to have real candidates. I felt that when a Degree staff goes to so much work to put on the degree that they should have real candidates to initiate and they followed my request and we had 108 initiated at the Conventions and 1 at the Blue Grass Association meeting. Thanks for helping me reach my goal of bringing new members into our Order. I enjoyed the emblem presentations, reobligation ceremonies and the other special programs. We all gained much from these and of course the School of Instruction and Question Box were a benefit to all present. From my years of traveling for our Order it was nice to be able to walk into each hall and find an old friend and of course to have the privilege of making many new friends. This is the best part of all of renewing old acquaintances and making new friends. Thanks for helping make our conventions a success. Our collections were beyond my wildest dreams

and more than they have been for several years. I had the pleasure of having the members of the Advisory Board with me and they told where the Home Fund money which you donate goes and how well it is spent. I feel that this helped our collections but I honestly feel that the reason our collections were so good this year was not to the fact that I was the President but to the fact that you, and I were working side by side to promote our teachings and carry out my program for the year to let everyone know that the Rebekahs in Iowa are the best in the whole wide World. Together we did reap a bountiful harvest from the seeds of kindness that we have been sowing from day to day.

ADVISORY BOARD AND HOME TRUSTEES MEETINGS

As President, at the beginning of my term of office I was invited to attend the Advisory Board meeting. I found out how they handle the needs at our Homes, assisted with the Inventory and found that they buy the best quality for the least amount of money. They have done a wonderful job in seeing that the furnishings at the Home are purchased and this meeting helped me greatly in telling our membership about our Homes and how the Home Fund money is spent.

It was also my privilege to see and learn what a responsible job the members of our Home Trustees have. They really have to be interested Sisters and Brothers because they spend a lot of time seeing to the needs of our Home and that it is kept in the best condition. They have again hired Brother Dick as Superintendent and for this we can be thankful.

Due to attending these meetings I felt that I had first hand knowledge about our Homes and know that it helped me greatly when members asked about our Home.

NECROLOGY

To the lodges and members who have lost loved ones, I extend my love and sympathy. Let us remember the good deeds of our departed Sisters and Brothers. God has given us the priceless gift of remembrance and they whom we can no longer see with our eyes, touch with our hands, can walk down the lane with us in memory, recalling the tender moments, remembering they lived Friendship, exemplified Truth and they taught Love.

The Angel of Death has entered into our Fraternal Circle and beckoned Sister Vira Reynolds, Past President to her eternal home. We all will miss her presence at our sessions.

50 YEAR JEWEL PRESENTATIONS

It was my privilege as President of the Assembly to present many Veteran Jewels. It meant a lot to me to be able to shake the hands of so many dedicated Sisters and have a part in the Presentation of the Jewels.

I believe I have been afforded the pleasure that no other Assembly President has had in our Jurisdiction and that was to present 50 year jewels to two of the elective officers of the Assembly. They were Sisters Muriel Galvin, Treasurer and Past President and Lylas

Haydon, Vice President. I planned the ceremony and was assisted by many of the Assembly Officers. Both meetings were attended by a large crowd and officers of all branches of our Order were present to make the evening a memorable one for these very dedicated Sisters. They have spent many hours in promoting the teachings of our Order and it was truly a honor for me, as President to present the jewels to them.

CHARTERS SURRENDERED

I have received word from the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge that the following Rebekah and Theta Rho Girls Clubs Charters were either picked up by him or the Grand Master:

Leech No. 76, Des Moines; Plymouth No. 225, Kingsley; Jeptha No. 187, Maxwell; Evergreen No. 149, Springville; New York No. 518, Millerton and Valley No. 34 Theta Rho Club, Des Moines.

DISPENSATIONS

The following Dispensations were issued:

To move Charter for Joint Meeting	3
To move Charter for District Conventions	22
To move Charter to new hall	. 5
To move Charter to homes of Members	. 25
To Install Unqualified Vice Grand	8
To elect Noble Grand out of statutory time	
To nominate and elect officers out of statutory time	5
To move Charter for Installation	
To move Charter to other hall while IOOF hall is repaired	
To move Charter to IOOF Homes at Mason City for regular meeting	1
To move Charter to City Hall for 6 meetings	1
To move Charter to Senior Citizens Hall for regular meeting and to year Jewel Presentations	1
To move Charter to Theta Rho Club to Marshalltown for 4-State Conclave	
Voided (changed plans for 4-state conclave)	
To move Charter to Roosevelt Hotel for Assembly	
Total issued	

STATE OF THE ORDER

I found that all the Rebekah lodges are doing their utmost to retain their present membership and to bring new members into our fraternal family. This is what will take care of most of our problems, that of an increase in our membership. It is wonderful to note that our members have accepted the challenge and doing their best to see that this is accomplished.

A lot of the lodges have painted their halls, remodeled their kitchens, made new drapes, purchased new chairs, refrigerators, stoves and new carpets. This has made it pleasant for the members to attend their meetings in bright and shining halls.

Ways of interesting our members to attend the meetings is to start on

time, take time for programs, funny and serious after your meetings. I realize that it is hard to compete with bowling, television and sport events but we must find a way to get our members back in the lodge room. One of the best solutions is to extend loving kindness to them and give them something to do.

I have stressed studying the ritual and to especially read the fine print that is printed there. It was my privilege to carry the Album to the Secret Work with me at the conventions and the members enjoyed looking at it and I feel that it has helped interest our members to give the Unwritten Work.

Time 'passes swiftly and another milestone in the History of our Assembly will be reached, and I humbly thank our Heavenly Father for giving me the strength and courage to fulfill the duties of this office. It has truly been rewarding to devote my time and energy to the service of all Rebekahs.

My aim this year was to strengthen the bonds of Friendship, Love and Truth and promote the teachings of Rebekah - Oddfellowship and I feel that this has been accomplished and truly know that the Rebekahs have had this as their aim, too. It was wonderful to walk through the door of the Oddfellows hall and find the room filled to capacity with the smiling faces of my Sisters and Brothers. It was nice to have so many of our Brothers present at our meetings. Our members have truly accepted the challenge that I set forth at my Installation, that of doing all that was possible to keep our Order before the public and to live our teachings each day, so that others would have the desire to join us in our service to others. We have lived up to our obligations and shown that we are "Actually, Interested, Fraternally" and together by sowing seeds of kindly deeds have reaped a bountiful harvest of new members into our Order. By so doing we will leave behind us when we shall have passed away, a heritage much greater than when we received it. Continue to practice our teachings as you travel on the road of Rebekah - Oddfellowship.

ITINERARY

It has been wonderful to attend so many meetings this year. I am sorry that I couldn't accept all invitations, but of course this was impossible. I was unhappy to have to call and cancel one visitation, but I just wasn't feeling good and felt it best to stay at home. It was nice to have my personal Bible and my gavel used at the meetings which I did attend. The gavel was a gift from Billy Evans, Past Grand Master. He spent many hours in making it for me and I wanted to share it with you. I will recall with each passing day the many acts of kindness that you extended to me. The corsages, which I can still recall their fragrance, the many kind words to make me feel at home and for the lovely songs. It was nice to witness the use of my program and to have the Chaplain's use my Bible salute and to read from the pages of our Holy Bible my Scripture. Please accept my gratitude for making this year one that I will look back on and recall that every day was one of happiness and thankfulness that I was able to serve as President of the best fraternal Order in the world.

October

- 14 Keota, Past Noble Grand Circle
- 17 Ames, District Convention
- 18 Storm Lake, Reception for Grand Master Milo Robinson
- 20 Griswold, District Convention
- 21 Keota, Rebekah Lodge meeting
- 23 Iowa City, Carnation Rebekah Lodge
- 25 Keota, Reception in my honor
- 31 Lacona, District Convention

November

- 1 Marshalltown, Reception for Kenneth Hollingsworth, Grand Patriarch
 - 4 Keota, Rebekah Lodge
 - 5 Oxford, Past Noble Grands Banquet
 - 8 Montezuma, Reception for Arlene Sanders, Grand Matriarch
 - 10 Des Moines, Sweet Brier Rebekah Lodge
 - 11 Keota, Past Noble Grands Banquet
 - 15 Cherokee, Reception for Ronald Purhmann, Grand Warden
 - 16 Belle Plaine, Past Noble Grands
- 17 Cedar Rapids, Emblem Presentation and Delegates Report, Cedar No. 494
- 18 Keota, "Harvest Gathering" and honoring 50 year and 25 year members and Delegates Report
- 22 Iowa City, Reception for Harold Westcott, Grand Treasurer of the Grand Encampment of Iowa
 - 23 Fairfield, Hawkeye Rebekah Lodge, Harvest Home Night
 - 29 Des Moines, Reception for Maxine Hackbarth, Assembly Warden

December

- 2 Keota, Rebekah Lodge
- 5 Des Moines, Joint Youth Committee meeting
- 7 Cedar Rapids, Reception for Cleola Schamberger, Grand Junior Warden of the Grand Ladies Encampment Auxiliary
 - 9 Keota, Past Noble Grand Circle, Christmas Party
 - 16 Keota, Rebekah Lodge
- 19-20 Mason City, Christmas at the Home

January

- 6 Keota, Installation of Officers
- 8 Iowa City, Carnation Rebekah Lodge, Initiatory Class Dedicated to the Assembly President
- 11 Sigourney, Joint Installation of Odd Fellows and Rebekah's. I served as Marshal.
 - 15 Iowa City, Installation of Good Samaritan No. 5, LEA
 - 16 Knoxville, Installation of Officers
 - 18 Cedar Rapids, Installation of Officers
 - 19 Mitchellville, Installation of Officers
 - 20 Keota, Rebekah Lodge
 - 22 Cedar Rapids, Installation of Officers, LEA
 - 25 West Des Moines, Installation of Officers
 - 27 Keota, Past Noble Grand Circle

February

- 3 Keota, Rebekah Lodge
- 10 Keota, Past Noble Grand Valentine Party
- 17 Keota Rebekah Lodge
- 21-24 Advisory Board meeting at the Homes
 - 23 Clear Lake, Initiation and presenting 50 year Jewel
 - 24 Clear Lake, Secretary's School of Instruction

March

- 2 Mitchellville, Emblem Presentation
- 3 Keota, Rebekah Lodge
- 6 Iowa City, District Convention
- 8 Dike, District Convention
- 13 Marshalltown, District Convention
- 15 Troy, District Convention
- 17 Keota, Rebekah Lodge
- 20 Rippey, District Convention
- 23 Farmington, District Convention
- 24 Wever, District Convention
- 25 Bussey, District Convention
- 26 Bagley, District Convention
- 27 Osceola, District Convention
- 29 Clutier, District Convention
- 30 Belle Plaine, District Convention

April

- 2 Benton, District Convention
- 3 Bedford, District Convention
- 6 Cedar Rapids, Cedar No. 483, Harvest Gathering
- 10 Mason City, Open House at the Home
- 12 West Liberty, District Convention
- 14 Knoxville, Presentation of 50 year Jewel to Muriel Galvin, Assembly Treasurer and Past President of the Assembly
 - 15 Guttenberg, District Convention
 - 16 Independence, District Convention
 - 17 Cedar Rapids, District Convention
 - 19 Humeston, District Convention
- 21 Keota, My own District Convention
- 23-24 Marshalltown, 4-State Conclave
 - 26 Council Bluffs, District Convention
 - 27 Castana, District Convention
 - 28 Denison, District Convention
 - 29 Carroll, District Convention
 - 20 Fontanelle, District Convention

May

- 1 Janes ville, District Convention
- 3 Cedar Rapids, LEA Emblem Presentation
- 5 Missouri Valley, District Convention
- 7 Des Moines, Assembly Executive Board Meeting during the day
- 7 Marengo, District Convention, evening
- 8 Monroe, District Convention
- 10 Kanawha, District Convention

- 11 Humboldt, District Convention
- 12 Albia, District Convention
- 13 Centerville, District Convention
- 14 Colony Inn, Amanas, Mother & Daughter Banquet for Cedar No. 494
 - 15 Montezuma, District Convention
 - 16 Galva, Hall Dedication
 - 17 Royal, District Convention
 - 18 Lake Park, District Convention
 - 20 Hampton, District Convention
 - 22 Glenwood, District Convention
 - 24 Marion, Entertainment President and Degree Work
 - 27 Pierson Convention conducted by LaVada Peterson, P.P.
 - 29 Des Moines, District Convention

June

- 1 Cedar Rapids, Cedar No. 494 Regular meeting
- 2 Nashua, District Convention
- 3 Mt. Auburn, Emblem Presentation
- 4 Burr Oak, District Convention
- 5 Wellman, District Convention
- 7 Oskaloosa, District Convention
- 8 Blakesburg, District Convention
- 9 Cherokee, District Convention
- 10 Lehigh (otho) District Convention
- 11 Pocahontas, District Convention
- 12 Sanborn, District Convention
- 16 Keota, Regular Meeting
- 18 Iowa City LEA Meeting Good Samaritan No. 5
- 19 Madrid, District Convention
- 24 Columbus Junction, Harvest Gathering
- 28 Moravia, Harvest Gathering
- 29 Cedar Rapids, Dinner at Bishops with Rebekahs of Cedar Rapids Lodges
- 30 Sigourney, Pot luck supper with IOOF and Joint Memorial Services

July

- 4 West Liberty, UN Pilgrimage Bus Supper
- 7 Keota, Rebekah Lodge
- 11 Mason City, Annual Homes Picnic
- 12 Mason City, Guest of Home Board Trustees Meeting
- 13 Sigourney, Emblem Presentation
- 15 Keota, Visited Rest Home with Lodge members
- 27 Des Moines, attended funeral for Vira Reynolds, Past President
- 31 North English, Judge for English Valley's Parade

August

- 3 Mitchellville, Met Iowa UN Pilgrimage on return home and ate supper with them.
 - 3 Des Moines, Installation of Theta Rho Girls Club
 - 21 Keota, Assembly Officers Executive meeting at my home

September

- Des Moines, Golden Star, Presentation of 50 year jewels to Lylas Haydon, Assembly Vice President and Beth Anderson
 - Osceola, Blue Grass Association Meeting
 - Janesville, Harvest Gathering
 - Cedar Rapids, Star of Maine, Harvest Gathering 9
 - Adel, District Convention 11
- 12 Belle Plaine, 40th Wedding Anniversary of my Advisor and husband Ed and Lucile Shanda
 - Indianola, IOOF Auction
 - Keota, Regular Meeting 15
 - Bloomfield, Harvest Gathering 17
 - 23 Wellman Harvest Gathering and Emblem Presentation
 - Shellsburg, Harvest Gathering and Emblem Presentation 24
- Belle Plaine, Pot luck supper with IOOF and Harvest Home 28 Night

October

- Des Moines, Guest of the Finance Committee of the Grand Lodge during the day
 - 5 Cedar Rapids, Cedar No. 494, Harvest Home Night
 - Keota, Rebekah lodge guests from Iowa City and Sigourney

RESIGNATIONS AND APPOINTMENTS

Since the Assembly Session following the installation last year I have made the following appointments:

District Deputy Presidents

- Dorothy Stout, Janesville Dist. 9
- Dist. 12 Dorothy Garner, Shell Rock
- Dist. 22
- Mrs. Albert Hallburg, Guttenburg Florence Adams. 221 St. Marys, Dubuque, Iowa Dist. 31
- Dist. 33 Shirley Olson, West Union
- Wilma Cooper, Riverton Dist. 36
- Mildred Barrett, 803, W. Adams, Jefferson, Iowa Dist. 37
- Sylvia Sanborn, 106 8th Ave. N.W. Cresco, Iowa Dist. 45
- Dist. 76 Beulah Joachims, 306 4th Ave. N.W. Pocahontas, Iowa

Delegates

- Dist. 8 Jennie Sarver resigned, Appointed, Margaret Kiegley of Madrid, Iowa
- Dist. 13 Delegate died, Appointed Helen Newbanks of Lohrville, Iowa
- Mabel Roberts resigned, Dist. 17
- Appointed Edith Sawyer, 213 North Shore Drive, Clear Lake 50428
- Dist. 20 May Cooper resigned, Appointed Floy Barnard, 303 E. Washington, Osceola, Iowa
- Dist. 34 Nellie Greene resigned, Appointed Leona Munger, Nora Springs, Iowa
- Dist. 36 Ruth Kish resigned, No replacement at this time

Dist. 37	Jean Borgeson resigned,
	Appointed Janette Conner of Churdan, Iowa
Dist. 41	Kate Nedved resigned,
	Appointed Alice Champion, Britt, Iowa
Dist. 50	Mabel Nolin resigned,
	No replacement at this time
Dist. 56	Alice Macklin resigned,
	Appointed Nellie Macklin, 1907 Ave. M., Fort Madison, Iowa
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Dist. 61	Luella Whitworth resigned,
	Appointed Maxine Kingery, Larimor, Iowa 50149
Dist. 80	Fornola Virden resigned,
	Appointed Wilma Highshoe, Kellerton, Iowa
Dist. 89	Wilma Norton resigned,
	Appointed June McClure, Selma, Iowa
Dist. 92	Mae Marek resigned,
	Appointed Ruth Bull Page, Wellman, Iowa
Dist. 93	Neva Barrett resigned,
	Appointed Merle Rockhold who resigned,
	Appointed Lelah Schultz, Lineville, Iowa

OCTOBER COLLECTIONS 1970

District Conventions		
DIST. LODGE AND LOCATION	AMT.	
5 & 15 Convention at Griswold	\$21.58	
8 & 85 Convention at Ames	20.00	
Total	\$41.58	
Harvest Gathering		
39 Oak Leaf No. 580, Casey	\$ 5.91	
25 Edna No. 263, Perry	7.40	
33 Jefferson No. 74, Oelwein	5.71	
Total	\$19.02	
75th Anniversary		
86 Morning Star No. 236, Elberon	\$ 9.25	
48 Marengo No. 320, Marengo	7.40	
Total	\$16.65	
Ho Bo Night		
73 Nishna Valley No. 166, Shenandoah	\$ 8.36	
49 Fulton No. 100, Fulton	3.10	
87 Timely No. 43, Lenox	2.40	
90 Olive & Oak No. 455, Agency	7.72	
90 Celia No. 570, Blakesburg	4.41	

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Opportunity Night

48	Iowa No. 355, North English	\$ 3.00
13	Lincoln No. 278, Lohrville	3.51
8	Boone No. 301, Boone	4.75
Total		\$11.26
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	Delegates Night	
77	Columbian No. 181, Des Moines	\$ 5.00
87	New Market No. 427, New Market	2.46
51	Salina No. 599, Salina	5.00
78	Council Bluffs No. 3, Council Bluffs	3.14
51	Fairfield No. 96, Fairfield	5.23
52	Hukill No. 594, Lone Tree	4.37
11	Marathon No. 437, Marathon	3.20
89	Farmington No. 23, Farmington	3.00
63	Marion No. 70, Knoxville	4.37
6	Mount Auburn No. 496, Mt. Auburn	5.63
5	Audubon No. 359, Audubon	3.94
9	Shamrock No. 296, Janesville	9.49
16	Helping Hand No. 517, Tipton	3.61
77	Mercy No. 215, Des Moines	3.75
35	Rosella No. 177, Hampton	4.80
43	Eleanor No. 164, Woodbine	2.23
48 48	Iowa No. 355, North English Williamsburg No. 367, Williamsburg	3.17
48	Ruby No. 161, Victor	2.00 4.68
38	Sunset No. 353, Grundy Center	3.30
28	Crescent No. 142, Manchester	3.40
41	Golden Glow No. 218, Kanawha	5.36
52	Carnation No. 376, Iowa City	8.54
51	Hawkeye No. 386, Fairfield	3.09
11	Buena Vista No. 258, Newell	1.85
88	Ivy No. 39, Afton	3.50
39	Menlo No. 547, Menlo	2.18
77	Amaryllis No. 81, West Des Moines	5.00
87	Timely No. 43, Lenox	1.81
54	Emerald No. 152, Keota	3.10
20	Sarah No. 57, Osceola	2.20
69	Faith No. 174, Red Oak	3.15
47	Ida Grove No. 264, Ida Grove	2.86
91	Indianola No. 111, Indianola	4.54
89	Juanto No. 250, Selma	1.65
6	Garrison No. 75, Garrison	4.65
52	Sunflower No. 476, Solon	5.15
63	Mistletoe No. 38, Hamilton	1.52
41	Charity No. 334, Britt	7.91
11	Storm Lake No. 205, Storm Lake	6.51
42	Daffodil No. 193, Union	1.80
52	Oxford No. 410, Oxford	5.00

39 Oak Leaf No. 580, Casey	1.79
Total	\$168.93
Miscellaneous	
19 Nashua No. 505, Nashua 69 Centennial No. 556, Villisca 94 Bon Ami No. 280, Fort Dodge 98 Royal Blue No. 240, Manly 96 Usona No. 458, Burr Oak 81 Odebolt No. 336, Odebolt 91 Rhodema No. 21, Carlisle 99 Golden Rod No. 162, Belmond 99 Marietta No. 501, Clarion	\$ 6.45 2.30 6.58 3.25 2.00 9.51 3.40 4.12 8.42
Total	\$46.03
OCTOBER SUMMARY	
District Conventions Harvest Gatherings 75th Anniversary Meetings Ho Bo Night Memorials Emblem Presentation Harvest Home Night Joint Meeting Opportunity Night Delegates Night Mis cellaneous Total NOVEMBER COLLECTIONS 1970	\$ 41.58 19.02 16.65 35.99 3.00 94.31 5.00 4.69 11.26 168.93 46.03 \$446.46
District Conventions	
91 Convention at Lacona	\$ 24.00
Total	\$24.00
Harvest Gatherings	
52 Iowa City No. 416, Iowa City 51 Hawkeye No. 386, Fairfield 54 Emerald No. 152, Keota 58 Silver Leaf No. 394, Columbus Junction Total	\$ 4.83 3.86 9.00 4.65 ————————————————————————————————————
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	REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	21
	Ho Bo Night	
39	Mizpah No. 92, Guthrie Center	\$ 1.50
57	Springville No. 99, Springville	2.00
38	Elizabeth No. 444, Reinbeck	6.64
90	Enterprise No. 132, Ottumwa	9.31
7	Cotal	\$19.45
	Emblem Presentation	
41	Golden Glow No. 218, Kanawha	\$ 6.26
43	Golden Crown No. 43, Dunlap	1.53
85	Nevada No. 234, Nevada	3.03
97	Pierson Valley No. 374, Pierson	2.15
4	Moravia No. 404, Moravia	2.05
14 57	Golden Link No. 10, Coon Rapids	3.56 5.25
43	Cedar No. 494, Cedar Rapids Eleanor No. 164, Woodbine	2.65
64	Marshall No. 40, Marshalltown	4.58
57	Grove City No. 35, Marion	3.75
28	Crescent No. 142, Manchester	4.30
97	Oto No. 266, Oto	4.00
7	Total	\$43.11
	Harvest Home Night	
38	Elizabeth No. 444, Reinbeck	\$ 10.00
52	Hukill No. 594, Lone Tree	10.00
77	Sweet Brier No. 188, Des Moines	15.00
90	Rachael No. 77, Eldon	5.00
85	Jeptha No. 187, Maxwell	35.00
33	Arlington No. 328, Arlington	5.00
77	Garcia No. 425, Mitchellville	2.87
77 59	Mayflower No. 172, Des Moines Chariton No. 33, Chariton	26.15
14	Golden Link No. 10, Coon Rapids	5.00 6.06
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	Opportunity Night	
39	Columbian No. 6, Stuart	\$ 4.43
12	Zora No. 189, Shell Rock	3.24
12	Clarksville No. 583, Clarksville	8.56
64	Delilah No. 61, State Center	5.19
37	Beulah No. 24, Jefferson	7.03
12 93	Inspiration No. 324, Dumont Prairie Gem No. 131, Allerton	7.94 3.77
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1	otal	\$40.16

Delegates Night

27	Equal Rights No. 419, Leon	\$ 2.60
12	Inspiration No. 324, Dumont	1.80
95	Northern Lights No. 344, Forest City	4.00
95	True Friends No. 375, Lake Mills	3.50
81	Odebolt No. 336, Odebolt	2.02
81	Pond Lily No. 19, Lake View	3.17
77	Sweet Brier No. 188, Des Moines	3.35
62	Clio No. 182, New Sharon	2.83
77	May Henry No. 165, Des Moines	4.00
19	Nashua No. 505, Nashua	3.25
43	Golden Crown No. 8, Dunlap	1.52
77	Garcia No. 425, Mitchellville	5.70
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38	Elizabeth No. 444, Reinbeck	3.09
86	Morning Star No. 236, Elberon	1.60
12	Zora No. 189, Shell Rock	3.24
39	Mizpah No. 92, Guthrie Center	1.51
38	Grant No. 305, Dike	6.65
41	Loyalty No. 217, Garner	4.50
76	Scarlet No. 42, Pocahontas	1.56
76	Silver Link No. 536, Fonda	2.00
76	Rolfe No. 125, Rolfe	2.40
76	Busy Bee No. 598, Havelock	2.50
77	Ideal No. 493, Ankeny	2.00
32	Harmony No. 55, Estherville	4.58
77	Golden Star No. 352, Des Moines	5.00
4	Welcome No. 91, Moulton	6.40
64	Concordia No. 295, Marshalltown	1.50
96	Usona No. 458, Burr Oak	3.55
57	Evergreen No. 149, Springville	1.64
28	Delhi No. 595, Delhi	
		3.75
70	Adah No. 123, West Liberty	3.28
87	Golden Rule No. 134, Bedford	5.70
81	Imogene No. 259, Sac City	3.55
73	Clarinda No. 317, Clarinda	5.00
4	Mystic Star No. 255, Mystic	1.40
86	Laurel No. 116, Traer	2.00
42	Averine No. 196, Iowa Falls	3.97
4	Anna No. 95, Centerville	2.72
4	Moravia No. 404, Moravia	2.50
68	Winona No. 545, Lovilia	1.50
25	Eva Ann No. 197, Dexter	2.34
38	Beaman No. 554, Beaman	3.10
26	Bloomfield No. 1, Bloomfield	3.63
26	Troy Union No. 510, Troy	2.22
9	Bremer No. 98, Sumner	6.16
90	Rachel No. 77, Eldon	3.20
57	Star of Maine No. 221, Cedar Rapids	2.40
57	Hill City No. 359, Mt. Vernon	5.00
57	Grove City No. 35, Marion	
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44	Safety No. 409, New London	2.15
44	Crystal No. 45, Mt. Pleasant	3.33

	REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	23
23	Clinton No. 13, Clinton	3.00
23	Low Moor No. 102, Low Moor	3.42
23	Silver Lining No. 82, DeWitt	2.65
23	Grand Mound No. 513, Grand Mound	1.55
94	Webster No. 85, Gowrie	2.20
12	Ancher No. 36, New Hartford	3.75
42 21	Eldora No. 144, Eldora	1.20
90	Silver Maple No. 283, Royal Olive & Oak No. 455, Agency	2.70 1.52
50	Margaret No. 237, Newton	4.92
90	Celia No. 520, Blakesburg	2.70
85	Jeptha No. 187, Maxwell	3.73
39	Columbia No. 6, Stuart	3.33
57	Home No. 79, Cedar Rapids	2.07
78	Unity No. 388, Council Bluffs	5.67
78	Oakland No. 65, Council Bluffs	4.10
28	Colesburg No. 428, Colesburg	3.95
73	Nishna Valley No. 166, Shenandoah	5.00
63	Isadore No. 239, Bussey	2.70
67	Maple Valley No. 212, Mapleton	1.00
25	Eden No. 126, Linden	3.00
86	Toledo No. 307, Toledo	6.00
64	Delilah No. 61, State Center	1.95
47	Maple River No. 565, Galva	4.62
80	Ellston No. 540, Ellston	1.50
80	Magdalene No. 520, Mount Ayr	3.00
21	Spencer No. 28, Spencer	4.97
79 79	Deborah No. 202, Brooklyn Poweshiels No. 67, Moleom	2.68
92	Poweshiek No. 67, Malcom Zimri No. 58, Washington	2.70
64	Marshall No. 40, Marshalltown	3.85
58	Silver Leaf No. 394, Columbus Junction	4.58 2.95
7	Thistle No. 261, La Porte City	4.45
62	Oskaloosa No. 16, Oskaloosa	3.54
7	Temple No. 54, Waterloo	5.00
7	Happy Thought No. 256, Cedar Falls	6.66
7	Dorcas No. 564, Hudson	6.00
79	Holly No. 309, Searsboro	2.35
39	Bagley No. 432, Bagley	4.26
61	Hawthorne No. 350, Macksburg	4.05
56	Colfax No. 4, Keokuk	3.00
5 6	Empress No. 364, Fort Madison	5.00
55	Algona No. 365, Algona	2.20
64	Grumme No. 460, Liscomb	2.75
57	Springville No. 99, Springville	1.88
94	Bon Ami No. 280, Fort Dodge	3.75
93	Fidelity No. 272, Lineville	3.80
93	Prairie Gem No. 131, Allerton	1.75
93 93	New York No. 518, Millerton Lone Tree No. 379, Seymour	1.25
93	Bethany No. 566, Corydon	3.02
93	Miawa No. 146, Humeston	2.21 5.35
57	Ely No. 56, Ely	10.00
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49 Charity No. 334, Britt 37 Farlin No. 411, Farlin 86 Diamond Link No. 176, Tama 28 Maple No. 519, Greely	1.75 1.50 3.78 3.20
Total	\$358.77
Miscellaneous	
Grand Junction No. 448, Grand Junction Bethany No. 566, Corydon Paul Caster No. 348, Burlington Silver Star No. 431, Lake Park Bon Ami No. 280, Fort Dodge Good Hope No. 267, Wever Rhodema No. 21, Carlisle Colesburg No. 428, Colesburg Cornelia No. 252, Riverton Enterprise No. 132, Ottumwa Albia No. 23, Albia Ember No. 486, Rodney Rosella No. 177, Hampton Vestal No. 103, Lehigh Tina No. 105, Clear Lake	\$ 4.47 5.03 6.53 2.69 2.77 2.35 2.00 3.80 4.80 2.35 1.52 2.25 6.40 1.58 6.33
61 Crown No. 360, Winterset	5.00
Total	\$59.87
Delegate Report and Emblem Presentation	
94 Ballantyne No. 238, Otho	\$ 3.81
Total	\$ 3.81
Friendship and Harvest Home Night	
51 Hawkeye No. 96, Fairfield	\$ 6.52
Total	\$ 6.52
NOVEMBER SUMMARY	
Conventions Harvest Gathering Ho Bo Night Emblem Presentation Harvest Home Night Opportunity Night Delegates Night Miscellaneous Delegate Report and Emblem Presentation	\$ 24.00 22.34 19.45 43.11 120.08 40.16 358.77 59.87 3.81

	REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	25
Fri	endship and Harvest Home Night	6.52
Т	Cotal	\$698.11
	DECEMBER COLLECTIONS 1970	
	Harvest Gathering	
55	Maple Grove No. 117, Wesley	\$ 2.00
38 53	Beaman No. 554, Beaman Evangeline No. 31, Anamosa	6.75 3.00
Т	Cotal	\$ 11.75
	Emblem Presentation	
86	Morning Star No. 236, Elberon	\$ 1.70
70	Miriam No. 27, Muscatine	\$ 4.03
38	Grant No. 305, Dike	5.35
67 64	Elise No. 222, Onawa Rhodes No. 362, Rhodes	2.15 4.93
52	Iowa City No. 416, Iowa City	6.45
38	Beaman No. 554, Beaman	2.80
18	Washta No. 373, Washta	4.70
17	Tina No. 105, Clear Lake	8.44
57 97	Willow No. 398, Troy Mills Valley No. 338, Anthon	3.60
13	Star No. 30, Lake City	2.80 2.87
82	Echo No. 104, Princeton	2.00
82	Le Claire No. 124, Le Claire	2.00
1	Cotal	\$53.82
	Harvest Home Night	
37	Alice Blue No. 414, Rippey	\$ 3.94
50	Excelsior No. 470, Prairie City	5.00
14	Golden Link No. 10, Coon Rapids	3.00
7	Total Total	\$11.94
	Opportunity Night	
77	Columbian No. 181, Des Moines	\$ 7.00
7	Cotal	\$ 7.00
	Delegates Night	
88	Royal No. 47, Creston	\$ 3.80
30	Spirit Lake No. 447, Spirit Lake	3.85
15	Griswold No. 480, Griswold	3.65
15	Lotus No. 87, Atlantic	3.62

12 Clarksville No. 533, Clarksville	3.13
91 Rainbow No. 277, Lacona	3.25
91 Milo No. 504, Milo	1.70
58 Derexa No. 129, Wapello	4.31
64 Rhodes No. 362, Rhodes	2.75
42 Pink No. 426, Ackley	1.70
80 Valentine No. 528, Kellerton	3.07
27 Friendship No. 235, Decatur	2.65
54 Sigourney No. 262, Sigourney	4.23
43 Mary No. 141, Logan	2.75
61 Marguerite No. 233, Earlham	2.00
85 Marion No. 108, Ames	2.35
36 Randolph No. 368, Randolph	1.44
36 Hamburg No. 88, Hamburg	2.60
36 Cornelia No. 252, Riverton	1.45
57 Willow No. 398, Troy Mills	1.45
99 Junietta No. 185, Eagle Grove	3.60
13 Star No. 30, Lake City	5.00
25 Sunbeam No. 73, Adel	2.09
25 Venus No. 160, Redfield	3.57
25 Edna No. 263, Perry	4.00
82 Le Claire No. 124, Le Claire	2.00
82 Echo No. 104, Princeton	2.00
49 Pope No. 136, Maquoketa	2.50
Total	\$80.51
Miscellaneous	
50 Excelsior No. 470, Prairie City	¢ 2.65
50 Excelsior No. 470, Prairie City 49 Beehive No. 180, Sabula	\$ 2.65 1.74
85 Jeptha No. 187, Maxwell	15.00
97 Oto No. 266, Oto	5.00
31 010 140. 200, 010	
Total	\$24.39
Delegates Report and Emblem Presentation	
86 Clutier No. 22, Clutier	\$ 3.05
Total	\$ 3.05
Therapy Room Equipment	
77 Elizabeth Anderson (Special Donation)	\$25.00
40 Oriole No. 421, Jewell	25.00
Total	\$50.00
DECEMBER SUMMARY	
Harvest Gathering	\$ 11.75
Emblem Presentation	53.82
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REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	27
Harvest Home Night	11.94
Opportunity Night	7.00
Delegates Night	80.51
Miscellaneous	24.39
Delegates Report and Emblem Presentation Thorany Page Fauinment	3.05 50.00
Therapy Room Equipment	30.00
Total	\$242.46
JANUARY COLLECTIONS 1971	
Harvest Gathering	
49 Miles No. 204, Miles	\$ 1.65
Total	\$ 1.65
Memorials	
41 Caldan Class Na 910 Vanasaha (an Albant I annon	
41 Golden Glow No. 218, Kanawha for Albert Larson and Frank Maynard	\$ 4.00
Total	
Total	\$ 4.00
Emblem Presentation	
1 Cora No. 143, Fontanelle	\$ 2.40
97 Belvidere No. 224, Moville	1.16
86 Diamond Link No. 176, Tama 28 Colesburg No. 428, Colesburg	5.00 3.51
44 Crystal No. 45, Mt. Pleasant	4.14
Total	\$16.21
Delegates Night	
78 Iola No. 600, Minden	\$ 3.40
49 Miles No. 204, Miles	2.23
49 Fulton No. 100, Fulton	1.75
80 Benton No. 523, Benton 33 West Union No. 97, West Union	1.80 4.44
33 Arlington No. 328, Arlington	3.30
33 Starlight No. 80, Alpha	2.33
33 Jefferson No. 74, Oelwein	6.25
97 Valley No. 338, Anthon	2.54 3.35
71 Locke No. 430, Primghar 71 Fidelia No. 36, Sheldon	3.35 3.35
71 Mary Tifft No. 335, Sanborn	3.40
71 Genevieve No. 154, Hartley	2.30
Total	\$40.44

Miscellaneous

39	Menlo No. 547, Menlo	\$ 5.00
Г	otal	\$ 5.00
	Installations	
26	Troy Union No. 510, Troy	\$ 7.02
26	Bloomfield No. 1, Bloomfield	14.16
24	Denison No. 420, Denison	4.45
70	Adah No. 123, West Liberty	2.53
68	Winona No. 545, Lovilia	1.05
17	Tina No. 105, Clear Lake	13.00
17	Queen No. 106, Mason City	20.85
21	Joint: Spencer No. 28, Spencer & Silver Maple No. 283, Royal Central Star No. 403, Rossville	9.15 2.00
80	Magdalene No. 520, Mount Ayr	2.54
80	Benton No. 523, Benton	2.61
80	Valentine No. 528, Kellerton	2.70
42	Daffedil No. 193, Union	1.90
42	Pink No. 426, Ackley	4.60
42	Averine No. 196, Iowa Falls	16.00
59	Chariton No. 33, Chariton	5.00
60	Zilpha No. 49, Rock Rapids	3.60
28	Joint: Delhi No. 595, Delhi; Maple No. 519, Greeley,	
00	and Crescent No. 142, Manchester	6.25
28	Colesburg No. 428, Colesburg	3.91
54	Emerald No. 152, Keota	5.35
54 44	Sigourney No. 262, Sigourney Joint: Crystal No. 45, Mt. Pleasant; Safety No. 409,	9.40
444	New London	4 14
98	Royal Blue No. 240, Manly	6.82
11	Storm Lake No. 205, Storm Lake	9.21
32	Harmony No. 55, Estherville	3.35
65	Woodland No. 552, Glenwood	6.20
81	Pond Lily No. 19, Lake View	3.60
68	Albia No. 323, Albia	1.55
3 0	Silver Star No. 431, Lake Park	5.42
30	Spirit Lake No. 447, Spirit Lake	7.31
52	Hukill No. 594, Lone Tree and Omega IOOF	5.27
52	Oxford No. 410, Oxford and Acme IOOF	6.25
52	Carnation No. 376, Iowa City and Eureka No. 416 IOOF	15.48
52 52	Sunflower No. 476, Solon	6.55
52	Old Capitol Jr. Boys No. 1 Iowa City and Old Gold Theta Rho Girls Club No. 1 Iowa City	9.35
11	Marathon No. 437, Marathon	4.30
11	Buena Vista No. 258, Newell	3.25
53	Evangeline No. 31, Anamosa	6.67
53	Loyal No. 306, Monticello	3.41
53	Madonna No. 303, Wyoming	3.00
1	Maratha No. 37, Greenfield	3.12
1	Cora No. 143, Fontanelle	3.12

37	Joint: Bethuel No. 83, Churdan; Scranton No. 60, Scranton;	
31	Farlin No. 411, Farlin; Alice Blue No. 414, Rippey; Beulah	No.
	24 Jefferson and Grand Junction No. 448, Grand Junction	23.00
27	Joint: Equal Rights No. 419, Leon and Friendship	
21	No. 235, Decatur	14.50
83	Shelby No. 140, Shelby	4.15
	Zenobia No. 286, Harlan	35.30
83 50	Eureka No. 52, Monroe	3.00
		10.87
50	Margaret No. 237, Newton	22.20
50	Excelsion No. 470, Prairie City	11.56
34	Nora Springs No. 483, Nora Springs	15.85
34	Cedar Valley No. 226, Charles City	9.70
14	Golden Link No. 10, Coon Rapids	12.00
14	Central No. 191, Carroll	
92	Kalona No. 84, Kalona	12.97
92	Zimri No. 58, Washington	10.33
92	Wellman No. 391, Wellman	11.00
87	Timely No. 43, Lenox	8.25
87	Golden Rule No. 134, Bedford	19.78
87	New Market No. 427, New Market	9.26
91	Rainbow No. 277, Lacona	3.81
91	Milo No. 504, Milo	2.48
. 91	Rhodema No. 21, Carlisle	3.09
91	Indianola No. 111, Indianola	5.93
77	Golden Star No. 352, Des Moines	5.00
77	May Henry No. 165, Bondurant	5.00
77	Mercy No. 215, Des Moines	5.00
77	Amaryllis No. 81, West Des Moines	10.00
77	Valley Junction No. 604, IOOF West Des Moines	10.00
22	Strawberry No. 34, Strawberry Point	2.00
67	Maple View No. 53, Castana	3.80
67	Ember No. 486, Rodney	2.43
67	Maple Valley No. 213, Mapleton	2.42
67	Elsie No. 222, Onawa	2.70
73	Nishna Valley No. 166, Shenandoah	13.42
73	Clarinda No. 317, Clarinda	7.08
57	Willow No. 398, Troy Mills	6.13
57	Home No. 79, Cedar Rapids	5.60
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57	Cedar No. 494, Cedar Rapids	5.00
57	Praha No. 5, Cedar Rapids	10.00
96	Oneota No. 175, Decorah	4.55
64	Grumme No. 460, Liscomb	6.04
64	Delilah No. 61, State Center	3.00
64	Concordia No. 295, Marshalltown	3.57
64	Marshall No. 40, Marshalltown	5.82
64	Rhodes No. 362, Rhodes	6.28
69	Centennial No. 556, Villisca	3.00
69	Faith No. 174, Red Oak	14.37
16	Helping Hand No. 517, Mechanicsville	3.50
85	Marian No. 108, Ames	7.80
85	Colo No. 270, Colo	2.25
85	Nevada No. 234, Nevada	1.60
81	Imogene No. 259, Sac City	6.50

30 PRESIDENT'S REPORT			
81 Odebolt No. 336, Odebolt	5.37		
9 Bremer No. 98, Sumner	6.10		
9 Shamrock No. 296, Janesville	10.65		
6 Garrison No. 75, Garrison 6 Joint: Orion No. 63, Shellsburg and Mt. Auburn	12.11		
No. 496, Mt. Auburn	9.25		
6 Sincere No. 59, Belle Plaine	5.75		
7 Joint: Thistle No. 261, La Porte City and Lotus IOOF	18.65		
7 Joint: Happy Though No. 256, Cedar Falls and Cedar Vall IOOF	ey 16.07		
7 Joint: Temple No. 54, Waterloo and Black Hawk IOOF	16.24		
7 Joint: Dorcas No. 564, Hudson; and Hudson IOOF	7.00		
32 Bonanza No. 435, Armstrong	3.00		
10 Lilium No. 25, Independence	22.05		
62 Oskaloosa No. 16, Oskaloosa	3.11		
62 Clio No. 182, New Sharon 38 Beaman No. 554, Beaman	3.00 2.50		
38 Elizabeth No. 444, Reinbeck	4.23		
38 Grant No. 305, Dike	7.45		
38 Sunset No. 353, Grundy Center	3.95		
Total	\$824.81		
Rebekah Degree Class			
27 Friendship No. 235, Decatur	\$ 2.32		
Total	\$ 2.32		
Initiatory Class Dedicated to President			
52 Carnation No. 376, Iowa City	\$ 8.70		
Total	\$ 8.70		
JANUARY SUMMARY			
Harvest Gathering	\$ 1.65		
Memorials	4.00		
Emblem Presentation	16.21		
Delegates Night	40.44		
Miscellaneous	5.00		
Installations Rebeltah Dograe Class	824.81		
Rebekah Degree Class Initiatory Class Dedicated to President	2.32 8.70		
Home Fund Total	\$903.13		
Other Sources			
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REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA

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'I	'otal	\$ 5.00
All	Sources Total Collections for Month	\$908.13
	FEBRUARY COLLECTIONS 1971 Memorials	
11 95	Storm Lake No. 205 for Lucy Waterbury by Milo Robinson Northern Lights No. 344, Forest City for Nettie Sime	\$ 15.00 3.00
Γ	Cotal	\$18.00
	Emblem Presentation	
99	Marietta No. 501, Clarion	\$ 4.56
20	Esther No. 138, Murray	3.35
37	Grand Junction No. 448, Grand Junction	4.75
14	Central No. 191, Carroll	4.00
43	Marry No. 141, Logan	2.88
77	Amaryllis No. 81, West Des Moines	5.22
94	Ballantyne No. 238, Otho	2.00
57	Praha No. 5. Cedar Rapids	25.00
41	Loyalty No. 217, Garner in Memory of Victor Waldeck	20.00
52	Carnation No. 376, Iowa City	7.70
77	Mercy No. 215, Des Moines	12.45
47	Maple Valley No. 565, Galva	5.71
6	Garrison No. 75, Garrison	11.48
27	Friendship No. 235, Decatur	4.62
7	Cotal	\$113.72
	Delegates Night	
29	Bell No. 17, Sperry	\$ 3.45
7	Cotal Cotal	\$ 3.45
	Miscellaneous	
5	Audubon No. 459, Audubon	\$ 11.42
95	Northern Lights No. 344, Forest City	6.95
13	Star No. 30, Lake City Manganet No. 327, Newton	2.29
50	Margaret No. 237, Newton	6.53
67	Maple View No. 53, Castana	1.98
7	Total	\$ 29.17
	Installations	
93	Bethay No. 566, Corydon	\$ 3.28
33	Demay No. 500, Corydon	φ 3.28

93	Miawa No. 146, Humeston	4.55
93	Fidelity No. 272, Lineville	2.79
93	Prairie Gem No. 131, Allerton	4.21
76	Busy Bee No. 598, Havelock	2.66
93	Lone Tree No. 379, Seymour	4.60
76	Scarlet No. 42, Pocahontas	5.22
43	Golden Crown No. 8, Dunlap	2.65
43	Lillian No. 20, Missouri Valley	4.38
76	Rolfe No. 125, Rolfe	3.32
43	Eleanor No. 164, Woodbine	6.37
43	Marry, No. 141, Logan	7.89
76	Silver Link No. 536, Fonda	2.65
71	Genevieve No. 154, Hartley	1.65
71	Fidelia No. 36, Sheldon	2.00
71	Locke No. 430, Primghar	4.50
71	Mary Tifft No. 335, Sanborn	2.28
12	Zora No. 189, Shell Rock	5.48
12	Inspiration No. 324, Dumont	6.24
12 12	Clarksville No. 533, Clarksville Anchor No. 46, New Hartford	11.35 11.08
57	Ely No. 56, Ely	10.00
57	Hill City No. 359, Mt. Vernon	5.00
57	Grove City No. 35, Marion	5.00
57	Springville No. 99, Springville	3.35
57	Star of Maine No. 221, Cedar Rapids	4.85
88	Ivy No. 39, Afton and Shannon City No. 285, Shannon City	7.13
88	Royal No. 47, Creston	12.53
61	Hawthorne No. 350, Macksburg	10.71
61	Marguerite No. 233, Earlham	9.26
61	Crown No. 360, Winterset	20.00
56	Empress No. 364, Fort Madison	5.00
56	Colfax No. 4, Keokuk	3.00
56	Good Hope No. 267, Wever	3.81
19	Golden Palace No. 578, New Hampton	8.00
19	Nashua No. 505, Nashua	13.50
82	Echo No. 104, Princeton	3.35
58	Derexa No. 129, Wapello	18.33
58	Silver Leaf No. 394, Columbus Junction	4.92
77	University IOOF No. 356, Des Moines	10.00
77	James & Ella Mae Osborn, D.D.G.M. & D.D.P. of Dist. No. 77	10.00
77	Sweet Brier No. 188, Des Moines	5.00
77	Ideal No. 493, Des Moines	5.00
77	Garcia No. 425, Mitchellville	5.00
77	Alpha No. 572, Des Moines	10.00
77	Columbian No. 181, Des Moines	5.00
15	Lotus No. 87, Atlantic	13.08
15	Griswold No. 480, Griswold	7.55
94	Vestal No. 103, Lehigh	1.35
94	Bon Ami No. 280, Fort Dodge	4.46
94	Webster No. 85, Gowrie	3.05
94	Ballantyne No. 238, Otho	3.05
86	Clutier No. 22, Clutier	1.50
86	Morning Star No. 236, Elberon	1.75

	REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	33
86	Diamond Link No. 176, Tama	5.00
86	Laurel No. 116, Traer	4.80
86	Toledo No. 307, Toledo	7.50
51	Fairfield No. 96, Fairfield	6.10
51	Salina No. 599, Salina	5.30
51	Hawkeye No. 386, Fairfield	5.58
41	Joint: Golden Glow No. 218, Kanawha and Charity No. 334, Britt	11.00
35	Joint: Rosella No. 177, Hampton; and White Lily	11.00
00	No. 137, Sheffield	11.60
74	West Bend No. 511, West Bend	2.22
8	Victoria No. 101, Ogden	4.05
8	Madrid No. 487, Madrid	7.06
8	Boone No. 301, Boone	6.47
90	Enterprise No. 132, Ottumwa	9.83
90	Myrah No. 41, Ottumwa	11.50
90	Rachael No. 77, Eldon	9.89
90	Olive & Oak No. 455, Agency	7.87
90 20	Celia No. 570, Blakesburg Esther No. 138, Murray	7.87 2.54
20	Sarah No. 57, Osceola	2.54
77	Acme No. 128, Des Moines	5.00
45	Cresco No. 284, Cresco	3.00
13	Farnhamville No. 107, Farnhamville	2.00
13	Zerah No. 210, Rockwell City	1.10
13	Star No. 30, Lake City	10.10
13	Lincoln No. 278, Lohrville	9.25
97	Oto No. 226, Oto	2.65
97	Pierson Valley No. 374, Pierson	1.40
97	Paradise No. 265, Sioux City	2.50
97 97	Belvidere No. 224, Moville Valley No. 338, Anthon	2.50 2.60
97	Pacific No. 557, Sioux City	5.40
95	True Friends No. 375, Lake Mills	4.15
95	Northern Lights No. 344, Forest City	11.01
99	Belmond No. 162, Belmond	19.20
99	Marietts No. 501, Clarion	13.27
99	Junietta No. 185, Eagle Grove	5.00
18	Larrabee No.590, Larrabee	10.15
18	Washta No. 373, Washta	9.60
18	Diadem No. 372, Cherokee	12.00
78 79	Council Bluffs No. 3, Council Bluffs	10.96
78 78	Unity No. 388, Council Bluffs Council Bluffs Theta Rho Club No. 34	14.12 7.92
78	Oakland No. 65, Oakland	6.00
48	Williamsburg No. 367, Williamsburg	1.55
48	Marengo No. 320, Marengo and Hebron IOOF	7.15
48	Iowa No. 355, North English and North English No. 325 IOOF	14.04
48	Ruby No. 161, Victor and Victor IOOF	9.94
40	Oriole No. 421, Jewell	5.00
40	Purity No. 72, Webster City	8.66
40	Gold Leaf No. 107, Blairsburg	4.29
63	Isadore No. 239, Bussey	3.35

63 Mistletoe No. 38, Hamilton	2.80
63 Marion No. 70, Knoxville	10.50
60 Zilpha No. 49, Rock Rapids	2.00
49 Fulton No. 100, Fulton	5.71
49 Pope No. 136, Maquokota	5.71
49 Bee Hive No. 180, Sabula	4.50
49 Home Charity No. 156, Preston	5.00
47 Ida Grove No. 264, Ida Grove	7.96
47 Maple River No. 565, Galva	11.00
47 Oak No. 361, Battle Creek	1.00
25 Edna No. 263, Perry	5.00
25 Eden No. 126, Linden	2.00
25 Eva Ann No. 197, Dexter	2.75
25 Venus No. 160, Redfield	2.00
25 Sunbeam No. 73, Adel	3.85
39 Joint: Mizpah No. 92, Guthrie Center; and Menlo	
No. 547, Menlo	13.39
39 Oak Leaf No. 580, Casey	7.96
39 Columbia No. 6, Stuart	14.00
39 Bagley No. 432, Bagley	13.15
46 Humboldt No. 200, Humboldt	4.35
46 Renwick No. 473, Renwick	2.00
74 Graettinger No. 417, Graettinger	1.50
79 Poweshiek No. 67, Malcom	5.00
79 Deborah No. 202, Brooklyn	2.15
79 Grinnell No. 119, Grinnell	5.00
79 Holly No. 309, Searsboro	3.05
79 Vashti, No. 113, Montezuma	3.20
4 Anna No. 95, Centerville	1.45
4 Welcome No. 91, Moulton	9.71
4 Mystic Star No. 255, Mystic	1.75
4 Moravia No. 404, Moravia	3.52
36 Cornelia No. 252, Riverton	2.50
36 Randolph No. 368, Randolph	1.25
36 Hamburg No. 88, Hamburg	3.38
Total	
Total	\$856.35
Rebekah Degree Class	
96 Oneota No. 175, Decorah	\$ 5.55
Total	\$ 5.55
FEBRUARY SUMMARY	
Memorials	\$ 18.00

Memorials	φ 10.00
Emblem Presentation	113.72
Delegates Night	3.45
Miscellaneous	29.17
Installations	856.35

Rebekah Degree Class

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Total	\$1,026.24
Other Sources Theta Rho Recreational Fund	
67 Else No. 222, Onawa	\$ 1.00
Total	\$ 1.00
Educational Foundation Fund Lodges giving more than One Dollar	
19 Nashua No. 505, Nashua	\$ 2.00
9 Shamrock No. 296, Janesville	5.00
39 Bagley No. 432, Bagley	5.00
18 Diadem No. 372, Cherokee	5.00
38 Elizabeth No. 444, Reinbeck	10.00
Total	\$27.00

Lodges Giving One Dollar

Golden Crown No. 8, Dunlap; Inspiration No. 324, Dumont; Usona No. Burr Oak; Griswold No. 480, Griswold; Harmony No. 55, Estherville; White Lily No. 137, Sheffield; Washta No. 373, Washta; Dorcas No. 564, Hudson; Grinnell No. 119, Grinnell; Pond Lily No. 19, Lake View; Golden Rule No. 134, Bedford; Lotus No. 87, Atlantic; Rainbow No. 277, Lacona; Emerald No. 152, Keota; Garcia No. 425, Mitchellville; Rosella No. 177, Hampton; Crescent No. 142, Manchester; Ariel No. 60, Scranton; Ida Grove No. 264, Ida Grove; Olive & Oak No. 455, Agency; Alice Blue No. 414, Rippey; Excelsior No. 470, Prairie City; Nevada No. 234, Nevada; Albia No. 323, Albia; Morning Star No. 236, Elberon; Troy Union No. 510, Troy; Happy Thought No. 256, Cedar Falls; Equal Rights No. 419, Leon; Oto No. 266, Oto; Denison No. 420, Denison; Oneota No. 175, Decorah; Locke No. 430, Primghar; Crown No. 350, Winterset; Marshal No. 40, Marshalltown; Magdalene No. 420, Mt. Ayr; Bethuel No. 83, Churdan; Buena Vista No. 258, Newell; Margaret No. 237, Newton; Springville No. 99, Springville; Clinton No. 13, Clinton; Oriole No. 421, Jewell; Zimri No. 58, Washington; Cedar No. 494, Cedar Rapids; Cora No. 143, Fontanelle; Alpha No. 572, Des Moines; Humboldt No. 200, Humboldt; Eva Ann No. 197, Dexter; Golden Star No. 352, Des Moines; Marietta No. 185, Eagle Grove; Averine No. 196, Iowa Falls; Bee Hive No. 180, Sabula; Fairfield No. 96, Fairfield; Central No. 191, Carroll; Odebolt No. 336, Odebolt; Silver Star No. 431, Lake Park; Pierson Valley No. 374, Pierson; Grove City No. 35, Marion; Audubon No. 459, Audubon; Prairie Gem No. 131, Allerton; Busy Bee No. 598, Havelock; Marathon No. 437, Marathon; Farmington No. 23, Farmington; West Union No. 97, West Union; Moravia No. 404, Moravia; Ideal No. 493, Ankeny; Salina No. 599, Salina; Grand Mound No. 513, Grand Mound; Hukill No. 594, Lone Tree; Strawberry No. 34, Strawberry Point; Beaman No. 554, Beaman; Silver Maple No. 283, Royal; Larrabee No. 590, Larrabee; Storm Lake No. 205, Storm Lake; Oskaloosa No. 16, Oskaloosa; Tina No. 105, Clear Lake, Marengo No. 320, Marengo; Low Moor No. 102, Low Moor; Bloomfield No. 1, Bloomfield; Queen No. 106, Mason City; Daffodil No. 193, Union; Clio No. 182, New Sharon; Sincere No. 59, Belle Plaine; Hamburg No. 88, Hamburg; Beulah No. 24, Jefferson; Miriam No. 27, Muscatine; Star of Maine No. 321, Cedar Rapids; Echo No. 104, Princeton; Ivy No. 39, Afton; Crystal No. 45, Mt. Pleasant; Pink No. 426, Ackley; Algona No. 365, Algona; Colesburg No. 428, Colesburg; Amaryllis No. 81, West Des Moines; True Friends No. 375, Lake Mills; Maple Valley No. 212, Mapleton; Wellman No. 391, Wellman; Timely No. 43, Lenox; Crown No. 360, Winterset; Eureka No. 52, Monroe, Fulton No. 100, Fulton; Jefferson No. 74, Oelwein; Eldora No. 144, Eldora; Oxford No. 410, Oxford; Royal No. 47, Creston; Ballantyne No. 238, Otho; Charity No. 334, Britt; Indianola No. 111, Indianola; Evangeline No. 31, Anamosa; Ancher No. 46, New Hartford; Ruby No. 161, Victor; Purity No. 72, Webster City; Bonaparte No. 122, Bonaparte; Colo No. 270, Colo; Marguerite No. 233, Earlham; Sarah No. 57, Osceola; Boone No. 301, Boone; Chariton No. 33, Chariton; Unity No. 388, Council Bluffs; Marian No. 108, Ames; Good Hope No. 267, Wever; West Bend No. 511, West Bend; Silver Leaf No. 394, Columbus Junction; Columbia No. 6, Stuart; Arlington No. 328, Arlington; Colfax No. 4, Keokuk; Bremer No. 98, Sumner; Woodland No. 553, Glenwood; Praha No. 5, Cedar Rapids; Shannon City No. 285, Shannon City; Royal Blue No. 240, Manly; Friendship No. 235, Decatur; Northern Lights No. 344, Forest City; Randolph No. 368, Lincoln No. 278, Lohrville; Farnhamville No. 109, Randolph; Farnhamville; LeClaire No. 124, LeClaire; Rachel No. 77, Eldon; Enterprise No. 132, Ottumwa; Menlo No. 547, Menlo; Nishua Valley No. 166, Shenandoah; Adah No. 123, West Liberty; Toledo No. 307, Toledo; Miles No. 204, Miles; Scarlet No. 42, Pocahontas; Concordia No. 295, Marshalltown; Clutier No. 22, Clutier; Spencer No. 28, Spencer; Shelby No. 140, Shelby; Zora No. 189, Shell Rock; Zilpha No. 49, Rock Rapids; Grand Junction No. 448, Grand Junction; Josephine No. 7, Guttenberg; Loyalty No. 217, Garner; Mistletoe No. 38, Hamilton; Sunset No. 353, Grundy Center; Rolfe No. 125, Rolfe; Nora Springs No. 483, Nora Webster No. 85, Gowrie; Valentine No. 528, Kellerton; Welcome No. 91, Moulton; Isadore No. 239, Bussey; Safety No. 409, New London; Sigourney No. 262, Sigourney; Helping Hand No. 517, Tipton; Bell No. 17, Sperry; Imogene No. 259, Sac City; Rhodes No. 362, Rhodes; Rhodema No. 21, Carlisle; Bethany No. 566, Corydon; Lilium No. 25, Independence; Clarinda No. 317, Clarinda; Cornelia No. 252, Riverton; Bon Ami No. 280, Fort Dodge; Mizpah No. 92, Guthrie Center; Hawkeye No. 386, Fairfield; Spirit Lake No. 447, Spirit Lake; Home Charity No. 156, Preston; Mercy No. 215, Des Moines; Marion No. 70, Knoxville; Paul Caster No. 348, Burlington; Temple No. 54, Waterloo; Council Bluffs No. 3, Council Bluffs; Cresco No. 382, Cresco; Vistal No. 103, Lehigh; Miawa No. 146, Humeston; Madrid No. 487, Madrid; Ely No. 56, Ely; Genevieve No. 154, Hartley; Williamsburg No. 367, Williamsburg; Golden Rod No. 162, Belmond; Graettinger No. 417, Graettinger; Anna No. 95, Centerville; Hill City No. 359, Mt. Vernon; Vashti No. 113, Montezuma; Zenobia No. 286, Harlan;

\$ 36.00

Columbian No. 181, Des Moines; Fidelity No. 272, Lineville; Deborah No. 202, Brooklyn; Madonna No. 303, Wyoming; Acme No. 128, Des Moines; Marietta No. 501, Clarion; Victoria No. 101, Ogden; Maple View No. 63; Castana; San Juan No. 418, Plymouth; Maple No. 519, Greeley; Cedar Valley No. 276, Charles City; Maple Valley No. 565, Galva; Iowa No. 355, North English; Mary No. 141, Logan.

\$209.00
\$236.00
\$1,263.24

MARCH COLLECTIONS 1971

District Conventions

38	Convention at Dike	\$ 36.00
52	Convention at Iowa City	63.53
64	Convention at Marshalltown	35.68
568	& 29 Convention at Wever	32.48
41,	51, & 89 Convention at Farmington	31.71
63	Convention at Bussey	13.05
20	& 27 Convention at Osceola	27.47
37	Convention at Rippey	52.52
26	Convention at Troy	29.10
7	Γotal	\$321.54
	Harvest Gathering	
93	Miawa No. 146, Humeston	\$ 5.35
26	Troy Union No. 510, Troy	1.37
7	Гotal	\$6.72
	Emblem Presentation	
25	Sunbeam No. 73, Adel	\$ 4.21
77	Sweet Brier No. 188, Des Moines	8.00
87	Timely No. 43, Lenox	4.16
64	Delilah No. 61, State Center	3.77
77	Garcia No. 425, Mitchellville	10.20
7	Happy Thought No. 256, Cedar Falls	10.02
39	Columbia No. 6, Stuart	8.66
30	Spirit Lake No. 447, Spirit Lake	4.00
97	Paradise No. 265, Sioux City	2.00
16	Helping Hand No. 517, Tipton	5.00
91	Milo No. 504, Milo	3.86
77	Columbian No. 181, Des Moines	12.00
3	Central Star No. 403, Rossville	2.00
12	Ancher No. 46, New Hartford	5.00

78 Unity No. 388, Council Bluffs	
	5.14
39 Oak Leaf No. 580, Casey	5.49
80 Benton No. 523, Benton	2.75
83 Zenobia No. 286, Harlan	5.95
37 Farlin No. 411, Farlin	3.40
90 Olive & Oak No. 455, Agency	3.34
48 Ruby No. 161, Victor	4.03
7 Ariel No. 60, Scranton	5.00
77 Golden Star No. 352	15.00
80 Mount Ayr No. 520, Mount Ayr	3.34
35 Rosella No. 177, Hampton	4.35
18 Diadem No. 372, Cherokee	12.00
25 Eva Ann No. 197, Dexter	3.36
59 Chariton No. 33, Chariton	5.00
64 Grumme No. 460, Liscomb	5.00
93 Miawa No. 146, Humeston	6.10
,	1.92
	3.33
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61 Crown No. 360, Winterset	10.65
77 Amaryllis No. 81, West Des Moines, Special Donation	25.00
38 Beaman No. 554, Beaman, (Memorial)	5.00
93 Bethany No. 566, Corydon (Memorial)	3.13
Total	\$221.16
Harvest Home Night	
44 Safety No. 409, New London	\$ 8.00
35 Silver Star No. 431, Lake Park	3.29
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Total	\$11.29
Delegates Night	
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37 Ariel No. 60. Scranton	\$ 3.11
37 Ariel No. 60, Scranton 37 Bethuel No. 83, Churdan	\$ 3.77 4.15
37 Bethuel No. 83, Churdan	
37 Bethuel No. 83, Churdan 3 Post No. 48, Postville	4.15 2.20
37 Bethuel No. 83, Churdan 3 Post No. 48, Postville 37 Beulah No. 24, Jefferson	4.15 2.20 2.60
37 Bethuel No. 83, Churdan 3 Post No. 48, Postville 37 Beulah No. 24, Jefferson 94 Vestal No. 103, Lehigh	4.15 2.20 2.60 2.15
37 Bethuel No. 83, Churdan 3 Post No. 48, Postville 37 Beulah No. 24, Jefferson 94 Vestal No. 103, Lehigh 18 Diadem No. 372, Cherokee	4.15 2.20 2.60 2.15 5.50
37 Bethuel No. 83, Churdan 3 Post No. 48, Postville 37 Beulah No. 24, Jefferson 94 Vestal No. 103, Lehigh 18 Diadem No. 372, Cherokee 18 Larrabee No. 590, Larrabee	4.15 2.20 2.60 2.15 5.50 2.61
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37 Bethuel No. 83, Churdan 3 Post No. 48, Postville 37 Beulah No. 24, Jefferson 94 Vestal No. 103, Lehigh 18 Diadem No. 372, Cherokee 18 Larrabee No. 590, Larrabee 18 Washta No. 373, Washta	4.15 2.20 2.60 2.15 5.50 2.61 4.05
37 Bethuel No. 83, Churdan 3 Post No. 48, Postville 37 Beulah No. 24, Jefferson 94 Vestal No. 103, Lehigh 18 Diadem No. 372, Cherokee 18 Larrabee No. 590, Larrabee 18 Washta No. 373, Washta 8 Victoria No. 101, Ogden	4.15 2.20 2.60 2.15 5.50 2.61 4.05 2.65
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37 Bethuel No. 83, Churdan 3 Post No. 48, Postville 37 Beulah No. 24, Jefferson 94 Vestal No. 103, Lehigh 18 Diadem No. 372, Cherokee 18 Larrabee No. 590, Larrabee 18 Washta No. 373, Washta 8 Victoria No. 101, Ogden Total Installations 89 Juanto No. 250, Selma 89 Bonaparte No. 22, Bonaparte	4.15 2.20 2.60 2.15 5.50 2.61 4.05 2.65 \$29.68
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37 Bethuel No. 83, Churdan 3 Post No. 48, Postville 37 Beulah No. 24, Jefferson 94 Vestal No. 103, Lehigh 18 Diadem No. 372, Cherokee 18 Larrabee No. 590, Larrabee 18 Washta No. 373, Washta 8 Victoria No. 101, Ogden Total Installations 89 Juanto No. 250, Selma 89 Bonaparte No. 22, Bonaparte	4.15 2.20 2.60 2.15 5.50 2.61 4.05 2.65 \$29.68

REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	39
70 Miriam No. 27, Muscatine	1.86
23 Silver Lining No. 83, De Witt	1.55
23 Clinton No. 13, Clinton	5.25
23 Low Moor No. 102, Low Moor	6.07
23 Grand Mound No. 513, Grand Mound	2.95
80 Ellston No. 540, Ellston	2.85
Total	\$40.88
Rebekah Degree Class	
17 Tina No. 105, Clear Lake	\$ 7.03
Total	\$ 7.03
MARCH SUMMARY	
District Conventions	\$ 321.54
Harvest Gathering	6.72
Emblem Presentation	221.16
Harvest Home Night	11.29
Delegates Night	29.68
Installations	40.88
Rebekah Degree Class	7.03
Total	\$638.30
Other Sources Educational Foundation Fund Lodges giving more than One Dollar	
52 Carnation No. 376, Iowa City	\$ 5.00
4 Mystic Star No. 255, Mystic	2.50
Total	\$ 7.50

Lodges Giving One Dollar

Sunbeam No. 73, Adel; Home No. 79, Cedar Rapdis; Edna No. 263, Perry; Star No. 30, Lake City; Post No. 48, Postville; Golden Palace No. 578, New Hampton; Delilah No. 61, State Center; Oak Leaf No. 580, Casey; Lone Tree No. 379, Seymour; Grumme No. 460, Liscomb; Celia No. 570, Blakesburg; Oakland No. 65, Oakland; Thistle No. 261, La Porte City; Holly No. 309, Searsboro; Ina No. 429, Northwood; Pacific No. 557, Sioux City; Kalona No. 84, Kalona; Elise No. 22, Onawa; Poweshiek No. 67, Malcom; Renwick No. 473, Renwick; Loyal No. 306, Monticello; Fidelia No. 36, Sheldon; Delhi No. 595, Delhi; Winona No. 545, Lovilia; Milo No. 504, Milo; Clarksville No. 533, Clarksville; Mary Tifft No. 335, Sanborn; Central Star No. 403, Rossville; Martha No. 37, Greenfield; Iowa City No. 416, Iowa City; New Market No. 427, New Market; Venus No. 160, Redfield; Gold Leaf No. 107, Blairsburg; Diamond Link No. 176, Tama; Laurel No. 116, Traer; Juanto No. 250, Selma; Centennial No. 556, Villisca; Mystic Star No. 255, Mystic; Orion

No. 63, Shellsburg; May Henry No. 165, Bondurant; Sunflowe Solon; Silver Link No. 536, Fonda; Pope No. 136, Maquoketa.	r No. 476,	
Total	\$ 42.00	
Total	\$ 49.50	
All Sources Total Collected for Month	\$687.80	
APRIL COLLECTIONS 1971		
District Conventions		
6 Convention at Belle Plaine	\$ 43.85	
39 Convention at Bagley	45.56	
86 Convention at Clutier	14.14	
87 Convention at Bedford	25.80	
22 Convention at Guttenberg	29.03	
10 & 33 Convention at Independence	37.67	
57 Convention at Cedar Rapids, Linn-Jones	25.00	
57 Convention at Cedar Rapids, Linn-Jones	50.00	
80 Convention at Benton	12.60	
58 & 70 Convention at West Liberty	41.62	
Total	\$325.27	
Harvest Gathering		
88 Royal No. 47, Creston	\$ 6.81	
47 Ida Grove No. 264, Ida Grove	8.95	
57 Cedar No. 494, Cedar Rapids	13.10	
81 Imogene No. 259, Sac City	12.50	
37 Alice Blue No. 414, Rippey	12.70	
21 Spencer No. 28, Spencer	13.07	
93 Prairie Gem No. 131, Allerton	7.98	
57 Grove City No. 35, Marion	5.00	
42 Eldora No. 144, Eldora	2.50	
Total	\$82.61	
Emblem Presentation		
7 Thirtle No. 201 Le Dante Cite	0.10.00	
7 Thistle No. 261, LaPorte City	\$ 12.00	
99 Golden Rod No. 162, Belmond	5.54	
58 Silver Leaf No. 394, Columbus Junction	5.59	
90 Rachel No. 77, Eldon	5.21	
54 Emerald No. 152, Keota	4.61	
71 Genevieve No. 154, Hartley	2.00	
77 Alpha No. 572, Des Moines	11.00	
23 Clinton No. 13, Clinton	5.05	
13 Zerah No. 210, Rockwell City 13 Farnhamyilla No. 100 Farnhamyilla	1.75	
13 Farnhamville No. 109, Farnhamville	2.52	
79 Grinnell No. 119, Grinnell 67 Elisle No. 222, Onawa	6.43	
	2.27	
11 Buena Vista No. 238, Newell	4.00	

REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	41	
64 Concordia No. 395, Marshalltown	2.95	
89 Farmington No. 23, Farmington	4.73	
21 Royal No. 283, Royal	5.90	
34 Nora Springs No. 483, Nora Springs	7.37	
8 Victoria No. 101, Ogden	4.18	
87 New Market No. 427, New Market 95 True Friends No. 375, Lake Mills	6.40 4.20	
73 Clarinda No. 317, Clarinda	7.62	
85 Marian No. 108, Ames	2.65	
93 Fidelity No. 272, Lineville	2.93	
42 Pink No. 426, Ackley	4.82	
36 Hamburg No. 88, Hamburg	3.75	
17 Queen No. 126, Mason City	8.05	
Total	\$133.52	
Harvest Home Night		
60 Zelpha No. 49, Rock Rapids	\$ 5.00	
83 Zenobia No. 286, Harlan	14.18	
Total	\$19.18	
Delegates Night		
8 Boone No. 301, Boone	\$ 3.06	
Total	\$ 3.06	
Miscellaneous		
26 Troy Union No. 510, Troy	\$ 5.60	
Total	\$ 5.60	
Installations		

55 Algona No. 365, Algona	\$ 4.00	
55 Maple Grove No. 117, Wesley	2.55	
29 Bell No. 17, Sperry	3.60	
29 Ruth No. 12, Burlington	1.00	
29 Paul Caster No. 348, Burlington	4.00	
Total	\$15.15	
Towel Fund		
56 Empress No. 364, Fort Madison	\$ 10.00	
56 Colfax No. 4, Keokuk	5.00	
7 Cedar Falls Ladies Encampment Auxiliary	5.00	
Total	\$20.00	

Pot Luck Supper with IOOF

99 Marietta No. 501, Clarion	\$ 8.96
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Total	\$ 8.96
APRIL SUMMARY	
District Conventions	\$325.27
Harvest Gathering	82.61
Emblem Presentation	133.52
Harvest Home Night	19.18
Delegates Night Miscellaneous	3.06 5.60
Installations	15.15
Towel Fund	20.00
Pot Luck Supper with IOOF	8.96
Total	\$613.35
Other Sources	
Educational Foundation Fund	
Lodges giving more than One Dollar	
42 Eldora No. 144, Eldora 17 Tina No. 105, Clear Lake	\$ 5.00 10.00
17 Tina No. 105, Clear Lake	
Total	\$15.00
Lodges giving One Dollar	
Silver Lining No. 82, DeWitt; Derexa No. 129, Wapello; M	vrah No 41
Ottumwa.	yran No. 41,
Total	\$ 3.00
All Total	\$18.00
Rose Bowl Float	
52 Oxford No. 410, Oxford	\$ 5.00
Total	<u> </u>
Total	\$ 5.00
Other than Home Fund Total	\$ 23.00
All Sources Total Collected for Month	636.35
MAY COLLECTIONS 1971	
District Conventions	
78 & 83 Convention at Council Bluffs	\$ 45.11
47, 24 & 81 Convention at Denison	48.57
13 & 14 Convention at Carroll	70.00
67 Convention at Castana	10.80
1 Convention at Fontanelle	21.53

	REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	43
9	Convention at Janesville	150.00
54	Convention at Keota	48.37
54	Convention at Keota	7.75
59 8	& 93 Convention at Humeston	38.75
43	Convention at Missouri Valley	24.44
48	Convention at Marengo	11.58
50	Convention at Monroe	20.99
41	Convention at Kanawha	24.87
	& 99 Convention at Humboldt	36.91
68	Convention at Albia	19.18
4	Convention at Centerville	14.00
65	Convention at Glenwood	67.41
82	Convention at Princeton	42.75
21	Convention at Royal	18.24
3 0	Convention at Lake Park	22.00
35	Convention at Hampton	34.51
79	Convention at Montezuma	28.37
Т	otal	\$806.13
	Harvest Gathering	
50	Excelsior No. 470, Prairie City	\$ 16.04
57	Hill City No. 359, Mt. Vernon	5.00
89	Juanto No. 250, Selma	3.70
62	Oskaloosa No. 16, Oskaloosa	3.55
53	Evangeline No. 31, Anamosa	6.15
93	Lone Tree No. 379, Seymour	7.18
35	Rosella No. 177, Hampton	7.00
17	Tina No. 105, Clear Lake	30.62
88	Ivy No. 39, Afton	4.72
57	Star of Maine, No. 221, Cedar Rapids	3.58
86	Laurel No. 116, Traer	14.46
57	Hill City No. 359, Mt. Vernon	5.00
93	Bethany No. 566, Corydon	4.55
92	Zimri No. 58, Washington	7.92
58	Derexa No. 129, Wapello	4.86
Т	'otal	\$124.33
	Emblem Presentation	
37	Bethuel No. 83, Churdan	\$ 6.12
44	Safety No. 409, New London	4.80
41	Charity No. 334, Britt	7.71
77	Ideal No. 493, Ankeny	11.00
73	Nishua Valley No. 166, Shenandoah	4.60
7	Dorcas No. 564, Hudson	9.24
25	Venus No. 160, Redfield	3.40
18	Larrabee No. 590, Larrabee	4.00
50	Excelsior No. 470, Prairie City	3.14
57	Praha No. 5, Cedar Rapids	5.00
11	Marathon No. 437, Marathon	4.14

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

44

39	Bagley No. 432, Bagley	6.20
77	Acme No. 128, Des Moines	11.95
49	Home Charity No. 156, Preston	3.00
90	Enterprise No. 132, Ottumwa	9.00
39	Columbia No. 6, Stuart	5.47
76	Rolfe No. 125, Rolfe	2.82
92	Zimri No. 58, Washington	4.25
41	Loyalty No. 217, Garner	6.92
81	Imogene No. 259, Sac City	5.92
7	Temple No. 54, Waterloo	10.00
39	Menlo No. 547, Menlo	3.65
98	Royal Blue No. 240, Manly	8.25
80	Ellston No. 540, Ellston	1.94
43	Lillian No. 20, Missouri Valley	3.06
27	Equal Rights No. 412, Leon	4.50
70		4.71
	Adah No. 123, West Liberty	3.90
91	Rainbow No. 277, Lacona	
94	Bon Ami No. 280, Fort Dodge	3.78
93	Fidelity No. 272, Lineville	5.37
97	Pacific No. 557, Sioux City	3.63
71	Fidelia No. 36, Sheldon	3.75
77	May Henry No. 165, Bondurant	6.36
93	Prairie Gem No. 131, Allerton	3.56
85	Colo No. 270, Colo	3.15
91	Indianola No. 111, Indianola	12.36
42	Eldora No. 144, Eldora	1.95
70	Miriam No. 27, Muscatine	5.76
50	Margaret No. 237, Newton	15.00
71	Locke No. 430, Primghar	5.00
93	Lone Tree No. 379, Seymour	2.32
36	Randolph No. 368, Randolph	4.51
53	Loyal No. 306, Monticello	4.30
37	Beulah No. 24, Jefferson	3.67
19	Nashua No. 505, Nashua	6.60
63	Isadore No. 239, Bussey	4.40
80	Valentine No. 528, Kellerton	2.50
4	Anna No. 95, Centerville	2.70
77	Amaryllis No. 81, West Des Moines	12.00
28	Delhi No. 595, Delhi	3.27
38	Eliza beth No. 444, Reinbeck	10.25
52	Oxford No. 410, Oxford	7.00
JL	Oxioi u 110, Oxioi u	7.00
7	Cotal	\$291.88
	Harvest Home Night	
<i>G</i> 1	Hautharna No. 250 Maakahung	¢ 19.00
61	Hawthorne No. 350, Macksburg	\$ 13.66
13	Lincoln No. 278, Lohrville	6.50
30	Spirit Lake No. 447, Spirit Lake	5.00
27	Equal Rights No. 419, Leon	11.50
39	Menlo No. 547, Menlo	3.55
n	Cotal	\$40.21
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REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	45	
Delegates Report		
8 Madrid No. 487, Madrid	\$ 4.03	
Total	\$ 4.03	
Installations		
78 Iola No. 600, Minden	\$ 2.00	
97 Valley No. 338, Anthon 41 Loyalty No. 217, Garner	.10 1.25	
Total	\$ 3.35	
Towel Fund		
12 Ancher No. 46, New Hartford	\$ 10.00	
15 PNG Circle of Lotus No. 87, Atlantic 15 Lotus No. 87, Atlantic	5.00 5.00	
40 Oriole No. 421, Jewell	10.00	
41 Charity No. 334, Britt	10.00	
Total	\$40.00	
Harvest Home Night and Emblem Presentation		
39 Mizpah No. 92, Guthrie Center	\$ 10.35	
Total	\$ 10.35	
Therapy Room Equipment		
78 Unity No. 388, Council Bluffs	\$ 50.00	
Total	\$ 50.00	
Initiatory Class Dedicated to the President		
51 Salina No. 599, Salina	\$ 9.15	
57 Grove City No. 35, Marion	10.00	
Total	\$19.15	
MAY SUMMARY		
District Conventions	\$806.13	
Harvest Gathering 124.3		
Emblem Presentation 291.88 Harvest Home Night 40.21		
Delegates Report 4.03		
Installations 3.35		
Towel Fund Harvest Home Night and Emblem Presentation	40.00 10.35	

Therapy Room Equipment	50.00
Initiatory Class Dedicated to the President	19.15
Total	\$1,389.43

Other Sources Educational Foundation Fund Lodges Giving More than One Dollar

78	Unity No. 388, Council Bluffs	\$ 50.00
39	Columbia No. 6, Stuart	10.00
77	Mercy No. 215, Des Moines	10.00
45	Cresco No. 284, Cresco	5.00
7	Happy Thought No. 256, Cedar Falls	25.00
64	Marshall No. 40, Marshalltown	20.00
64	Rhodes No. 362, Rhodes	5.00
52	Iowa City No. 416, Iowa City	10.00
ı	Total	\$135.00

Lodges Giving One Dollar

Starlight No. 80, Alpha; Lincoln No. 278, Lohrville; Margaret No. 237, Newton; Faith No. 174, Red Oak.

Total

\$4.00

Theta Rho Recreational Fund Lodges Giving More than One Dollar

35 Sunset No. 353, Grundy Center 52 Carnation No. 376, Iowa City	\$ 5.00 5.00
Total	\$10.00

Lodges Giving One Dollar

Starlight No. 80, Alpha; Elizabeth No. 444, Reinbeck; Averine No. 196, Iowa Falls; Ruby No. 161, Victor; Evangeline No. 31, Anamosa; Equal Rights No. 419, Leon; Loyalty No. 217, Garner, Arlington No. 328, Arlington; Shelby No. 140, Shelby; Oneota No. 175, Decorah; Washta No. 373, Washta; Lone Tree No. 379, Seymour; Zora No. 189, Shell Rock; Deborah No. 202, Brooklyn; Bethuel No. 83, Churdan; Excelsier; No. 470, Prairie City; Nora Springs No. 483, Nora Springs; Hawthorne No. 350, Macksburg; Lincoln No. 278, Lohrville; Alice Blue No. 414, Rippey; Rosella No. 177, Hampton; Randolph No. 368, Randolph; Inspiration No. 324, Dumont; Nevada No. 234, Nevada; Crescent No. 142, Manchester; Sunset No. 353, Grundy Center; Carnation No. 376, Iowa City; Olive & Oak No. 455, Agency; Faith No. 174, Red Oak; Ida Grove No. 264, Ida Grove; Buena Vista No. 258, Newell; Oriole No. 421, Jewell; Rolfe No. 125, Rolfe; Grant No. 305, Dike; Grand Junction No. 448, Grand Junction; Maple River No. 565, Galva; Eleanor No. 164, Woodbine; Emerald No. 152, Keota; Audubon No. 459, Audubon; Humboldt No. 200, Humboldt; Bethany No. 566, Corydon; Dorcas No.

564, Hudson; Cora No. 143, Fontanelle; Griswold No. 480, Griswold; Clinton No. 13, Clinton; Lillium No. 25, Independence; Imogene No. 259, Sac City; Spencer No. 28, Spencer; Locke No. 430, Primghar; Oakland No. 65, Oakland; Loyal No. 306, Monticello; New Market No. 427, New Market; Silver Star No. 431, Lake Park; Fairfield No. 96, Fairfield; Bee Hive No. 180, Sabula; Eva Ann No. 197, Dexter; Chariton No. 33, Chariton; Miawa No. 146, Humeston; Prairie Gem No. 131, Allerton; Grove City No. 35, Marion; Golden Rod No. 162, Belmond; Shannon City No. 285, Shannon City; West Union No. 97, West Union Daffodil No. 193, Union; Columbian No. 181, Des Moines; Larrabee No. 590, Larrabee; Troy Union No. 510, Troy Marathon No. 437, Marathon; Storm Lake No. 205, Storm Lake; Silver Maple No. 283, Royal; Hawkeye No. 386, Fairfield; Tina No. 105, Clear Lake; Central Star No. 403, Rossville; Central No. 191, Carroll; Zenobia No. 286, Harlan; Farlin No. 411, Farlin; Bloomfield No. 1, Bloomfield; Colfax No. 4, Keokuk; Pink No. 426, Ackley; Sigourney No. 262, Sigourney; Cedar Valley No. 226, Charles City; Anna No. 95, Centerville; Low Moor No. 102, Low Moor; Council Bluffs No. 3, Council Bluffs; Colo No. 270, Colo: Zelpha No. 49, Rock Rapids; Star No. 30, Lake City; Jefferson No. 74, Oelwein; Charity No. 334, Britt; Grand Mound No. 513, Grand Mound; Timely No. 43, Lenox; Golden Palace No. 578, New Hampton; Ivy No. 39, Afton; Fidelity No. 272, Lineville; Anchor No. 46, New Hartford; Bagley No. 432, Bagley; Scarlet No. 42, Pocahontas; Empress No. 364, Fort Madison; Marietta No. 501, Clarion; Sarah No. 57, Osceola; Silver Link No. 531, Fonda; Friendship No. 235, Decatur; Diadem No. 372, Cherokee; Golden Link No. 10, Coon Rapids; Ideal No.493 Ankeny; Edna No. 263, Perry; Woodland No. 552, Glenwood; Menlo No. 547, Menlo, Pond Lily No. 19, Lake View; Marquerite No. 233, Earlham; Unity No. 388, Council Bluffs; Boone No. 301, Boone; Miriam No. 27, Muscatine; Myrah No. 41, Ottumwa; Wever No. 267, Wever; Toledo No. 307. Toledo: Farnhamville No. 109, Farnhamville: Golden Glow No. 218, Kanawha; Rainbow No. 277, Lacona; Fidelia No. 36, Sheldon; Oto No. 266, Oto; Grumme No. 460, Union; Ariel No. 60, Scranton; Golden Crown No. 8, Dunlap; Ember No. 486, Rodney; Crystal No. 45, Mt. Pleasant; Columbia No. 6, Stuart; Marion No. 70, Knoxville; Happy Thought No. 256, Cedar Falls; Elsie No. 222, Onawa; Gold Leaf No. 107, Blairsburg; Rhodes No. 362, Rhodes; May Henry No. 165, Bondurant; Garcia No. 425, Mitchellville; Royal Blue No. 240, Manly; Bon Ami No. 280, Fort Dodge; Sunflower No. 476, Solon; Iowa City No. 416, Iowa City; Cornelia No. 252, Riverton; Marshall No. 40, Marshalltown; Alpha No. 572, Des Moines; Webster No. 85, Gowrie; Queen No. 106, Mason City; Adah No. 123, West Liberty; Beulah No. 24, Jefferson; Silver Leaf No. 394, Columbus Junction; Nashua No. 505, Nashua; Marengo No. 320, Marengo; Crown No. 360, Winterset; Thistle No. 261. La Porte City; Ballantyne No. 238, Otho; Amaryllis No. 81, West Des Moines; Lotus No. 87, Atlantic; White Lily No. 137, Sheffield; Bonanza No. 435, Armstrong; Isadore No. 239, Bussey; Marian No. 108, Ames; Wellman, No. 391, Wellman; Hamburg No. 88, Hamburg; Rachel No. 77, Eldon; Post No. 48, Postville; Strawberry No. 34, Strawberry Point; Garrison No. 75, Garrison; Albia No. 323, Albia; Star of Maine No. 221, Cedar Rapids; Laurel No. 116, Traer, Hill City No. 359, Mt. Vernon; Salina No. 599, Salina; Juanto No. 250, Selma; Algona No. 365, Algona; Mary No. 141, Logan; Willow No. 398, Troy Mills; Valentine No. 528, Kellerton; Graettinger No. 417, Graettinger; Sweet Brier No. 188, Des Moines; Shamrock No. 296, Janesville; Sincere No. 59, Belle Plaine; Victoria No. 101, Ogden, Diamond Link No. 176, Tama; Odebolt No. 336, Odebolt; True Friends No. 375, Lake Mills; Bremer No. 98, Sumner; Centennial No. 556, Villisca; Safety No. 409, New London; Temple No. 54, Waterloo; Concordia No. 295, Marshalltown; Delhi No. 595, Delhi; Kalona No. 84, Kalona; Cresco No. 284, Cresco; Celia No. 570, Blakesburg; Ely No. 56; New Sharon No. 182, New Sharon; Pacific No. 557, Sioux City; Williamsburg No. 367, Williamsburg; Derexa No. 129, Wapello; Enterprise No. 132, Ottumwa; Rhodema No. 21, Carlisle; Milo No. 504, Milo; Oxford No. 410, Oxford; Home No. 79, Cedar Rapids; Hukill No. 594, Lone Tree; Moravia No. 404, Moravia; Maple No. 519, Greeley.

Total

World Eye Bank

36 Randolph No. 368, Randolph	\$ 3.55
Total	\$ 3.55

Other Sources Summary

Educational Foundation Fund Theta Rho Recreational Fund World Eye Bank	\$ 139.00 211.00 3.55
Total All Sources Total Collected for Month	\$ 353.55 \$1,742.98

JUNE COLLECTIONS 1971

District Conventions

77	Convention at Des Moines	\$ 46.03
92	Convention at Wellman	31.62
19	Convention at Nashua	41.73
96	Convention at Burr Oak	10.20
97	Convention at Pierson	13.81
90	Convention at Blakesburg	21.00
18	Convention at Cherokee	23.54
94	Convention at Lehigh	25.98
76	Convention at Pocahontas	27.03
71	Convention at Sanborn	20.81
62	Convention at Oskaloosa	13.15
8 &	85 Convention at Madrid	32.00
19	Convention at Nashua	10.67
Т	'otal	\$317.57

Harvest Gathering

87 Timely No. 43, Lenox

\$ 5.01

	REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	49
63	Marion No. 70, Knoxville	5.26
64	Marshall No. 40, Marshalltown	8.09
58 90	Derexa No. 129, Wapello Myrah No. 41, Ottumwa	3.26 4.40
89	Juanto No. 250, Selma	4.95
42	Daffodil No. 193, Union	9.10
57	Home No. 79, Cedar Rapids	5.00
64	Rhodes No. 362, Rhodes	7.27
6	Sincere No. 59, Belle Plaine	15.00
58 4	Silver Leaf No. 394, Columbus Junction Moravia No. 404, Moravia	10.14 6.55
77	Amaryllis No. 81, West Des Moines	15.00
T	otal	\$99.03
	Memorial Memorial	
41	Golden Glow No. 218, Kanawha for Glen Kelling	\$ 2.00
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T	otal	\$ 2.00
	Emblem Presentation	
61	Crown No. 360, Winterset	\$ 7.82
79	Poweshiek No. 67, Malcom	7.50
1	Martha No. 37, Greenfield	3.33
20	Sarah No. 57, Osceola	3.65
81 71	Odebolt No. 336, Odebolt Mary Tifft No. 335, Sanborn	4.79 4.32
48	Iowa No. 355, North English	3.70
23	Silver Lining No. 82, DeWitt	5.35
6	Mt. Auburn No. 496, Mt. Auburn	12.00
13	Lincoln No. 278, Lohrville	3.44
15 37	Griswold No. 480, Griswold Alice Blue No. 414, Rippey	4.60 3.58
74	West Bend No. 511, West Bend	1.85
87	Golden Rule No. 134, Bedford	7.58
26	Bloomfield No. 1, Bloomfield	5.00
40	Oriole No. 421, Jewell	5.00
40	Purity No. 72, Webster City	4.41
53	Madonna No. 303, Wyoming	5.10
15 55	Lotus No. 87, Atlantic Maple Grove No. 117, Wesley	4.75 3.10
47	Ida Grove No. 264, Ida Grove	3.60
57	Star of Maine No. 221, Cedar Rapids	7.06
69	Faith No. 174, Red Oak	10.50
33	Arlington No. 328, Arlington	4.07
23	Low Moor No. 102, Low Moor	7.64
76 57	Busy Bee No. 598, Havelock Mary & Edward Harsh, members of Praha No. 5, Cedar	2.75
	Rapids, Special Donation	100.00
12	Clarksville No. 533, Clarksville	6.21
35	Rosella No. 177, Hampton	4.25

63 Mistletoe No. 38, Hamilton 96 Oneota No. 175, Decorah 30 Silver Star No. 431, Lake Park 88 Shannon City No. 285, Shannon City 9 Bremer No. 98, Sumner 86 Toledo No. 307, Toledo 89 Bonaparte No. 122, Bonaparte 38 Sunset No. 353, Grundy Center	1.10 5.60 5.30 5.45 7.50 6.10 1.74 9.00	
78 Oakland No. 65, Oakland 28 Maple No. 519, Greely 36 Cornelia No. 252, Riverton 67 Maple View No. 53, Castana 65 Woodland No. 552, Glenwood 8 Boone No. 301, Boone 79 Vashti No. 113, Montezuma 92 Kalona No. 84, Kalona	6.45 2.92 5.91 2.41 4.63 4.83 4.75 3.72	
91 Rhodema No. 21, Carlisle Total	5.06 	
Harvest Home Night	φ υ Δσ.42	
25 Edna No. 263, Perry	\$ 9.85	
37 Grand Junction No. 448, Grand Junction	12.85	
Total	\$22.70	
Installations		
33 Joint Installation for Dist. No. 33	\$ 15.56	
Total	\$ 15.56	
Towel Fund		
92 Happy Hour Club, Wellman 92 Wellman No. 391, Wellman	\$ 5.00 5.00	
Total	\$10.00	
Emblem Presentation and Harvest Gather	ing	
5 Audubon No. 459, Audubon 16 Helping Hand No. 517, Tipton	\$10.02 10.00	
Total	\$20.02	
Special Donation for Home		
77 Emma and Jake Franklin, members of Amaryllis No. 81 of West Des Moines	\$25.00	
Total	\$25.00	

JUNE SUMMARY

District Conventions	\$317.57
Harvest Gathering	99.03
Memorial (Glen Kelling)	2.00
Emblem Presentation	329.42
Harvest Home Night	22.70
Installations	15.56
Towel Fund	10.00
Emblem Presentation and Harvest Gathering	20.02
Special Donation for Home	25.00
Total	\$841.30

Other Sources Educational Foundation Fund Lodges giving more than One Dollar

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11	Storm Lake No. 205, Storm Lake	\$26.65
70	Miriam No. 27, Muscatine	7.36
77	PNG Association of Dist. 77, Des Moines	10.00
Total		\$44.01

Theta Rho Recreational Fund Lodges Giving One Dollar

Eureka No. 52, Monroe; Maple Valley No. 212, Mapleton; Martha No. 37, Greenfield; Clarinda No. 317, Clarinda; Vestel, No. 103, Lehigh; Bell No. 17, Sperry; Echo No. 104, Princeton; Mercy No. 215, Des Moines; Pope No. 136, Maquoketa; Helping Hand No. 517, Tipton; Junietta No. 185, Eagle Grove; Orion No. 63, Shellsburg; Mary Tifft No. 355, Sanborn; Iowa No. 355, North English; Silver Lining No. 82, DeWitt, Spirit Lake No. 447, Spirit Lake; Cedar No. 494, Cedar Rapids; Usona No. 458, Burr Oak; Ellston No. 540, Ellston; Holly No. 309, Searsboro; Paul Caster No. 348, Burlington; Golden Star No. 352, Des Moines; Denison No. 420, Denison; Pierson Valley No. 374, Pierson; West Bend No. 511, West Bend; Home Charity No. 156, Preston; Indianola No. 111, Indianola; Zimri No. 58, Washington; Praha No. 5, Cedar Rapids; Oakland No. 580, Casey; Madrid No. 487, Madrid; Inda No. 429, Northwood; Grinnell No. 119, Grinnell; Beaman No. 554, Beaman; Colesburg No. 428, Colesburg; Bonaparte No. 122, Bonaparte; Vashti No. 113, Montesuma; Fulton No. 100, Fulton; Mizpah No. 92, Guthrie Center; Josephine No. 7, Guttenburg; Acme No. 128, Des Moines; Rhodes No. 362, Rhodes. Total \$42.00

World Eye Bank

77 Golden Star No. 352, Des Moines	\$17.06
Total	\$17.06

Other Sources Summary

The	ucational Foundation Fund eta Rho Recreational Fund rld Eye Bank	\$44.01 42.00 17.06
	Cotal Sources Total Collected for Month	\$103.07 \$944.37
	JULY COLLECTIONS 1971	
	Harvest Gathering	
50	Eureka No. 52, Monroe	\$ 2.95
57	Ely No. 56, Ely	20.00
13	Farnhamville No. 109, Farnhamville	2.00
Т	Cotal Cotal	\$24.95
	Emblem Presentation	
69	Centennial No. 556, Villisca	\$ 6.45
57	Home No. 79, Cedar Rapids	5.05
49	Miles No. 204, Miles	2.50
33	Starlight No. 80, Alpha	3.00
8	Madrid No. 487, Madrid	4.86
4	Welcome No. 91, Mounton	5.86
51	Fairfield No. 96, Fairfield	6.53
12 23	Inspiration No. 324, Dumont Grand Mound No. 513, Grand Mound	3.30 5.95
61	Hawthorne No. 350, Macksburg	9.10
39	Mizpah No. 92, Guthrie Center	4.70
12	Zora No. 189, Shell Rock	5.20
54	Sigourney No. 262, Sigourney	6.00
74	Graettinger No. 417, Graettinger	2.05
79	Deborah No. 202, Brooklyn	6.23
48	Williamsburg No. 367, Williamsburg	3.84
68 25	Winona No. 545, Lovilia Edna No. 126, Linden	2.65 3.00
20	Edita No. 120, Efficien	3.00
Т	'otal	\$86.27
	Harvest Home Night	
45	Cresco No. 284, Cresco	\$ 3.00
64	Concordia No. 295, Marshalltown	3.26
Т	'otal	\$ 6.26

JULY SUMMARY

\$24.95

REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	53
Emblem Presentation Harvest Home Night	86.27 6.26
Total Other Sources	\$117.48
Educational Foundation Fund 13 Zorah No. 210, Rockwell City	\$1.00
Total	\$1.00
Theta Rho Recreational Fund Lodges Giving One Dollar Renwick No. 473, Renwick; Zerah No. 210, Rockwell City Total	\$2.00
Rose Bowl Float	
57 Cedar No. 494, Cedar Rapids	\$8.00
Total	\$8.00
Other Sources Summary	
Educational Foundation Fund Theta Rho Recreational Fund Rose Bowl Float	\$1.00 2.00 8.00
Total All Sources Total Collected for Month	\$11.00 \$128.48
AUGUST COLLECTIONS 1971	
Harvest Gathering	
76 Busy Bee No. 598, Havelock	\$ 3.25
Total	\$3.25
Emblem Presentation	
63 Marion No. 70, Knoxville	\$ 3.38
98 Ina No. 429, Northwood 4 Mystic No. 255, Mystic	7.90 4.06
29 Paul Caster No. 348, Burlington	4.95
Total	\$20.29
Miscellaneous	
78 Unity No. 388, Council Bluffs	\$18.07
Total	\$18.07

AUGUST SUMMARY

Harvest Gathering Emblem Presentation Miscellaneous	\$ 3.25 20.29 18.07	
Total	\$41.61	
SEPTEMBER COLLECTION	NS 1971	
District Conventions		
25 Convention at Adel Blue Grass Association at Osceola	\$38.63 18.10	
Total	\$56.73	
Harvest Gathering		
26 Bloomfield No. 1, Bloomfield 17 Queen No. 106, Mason City 37 Bethuel No. 83, Churdan 77 Golden Star No. 352, Des Moines 68 Winona No. 545, Lovilia 9 Bremer No. 98, Sumner 57 Star of Maine No. 221, Cedar Rapids 1 Cora No. 143, Fontanelle 92 Wellman No. 391, Wellman 6 Orion No. 63, Shellsburg 70 Adah No. 123, West Liberty 71 Fidelia No. 36, Sheldon 99 Marietta No. 501, Clarion 98 Royal Blue No. 240, Manly 77 Mercy No. 215, Des Moines 91 Indianola No. 111, Indanola 99 Golden Rod No. 162, Belmond 91 Rainbow No. 277, Lacona 77 Sweet Brier No. 188, Des Moines	\$ 8.13 9.70 6.33 10.00 2.20 3.80 5.22 3.60 7.99 12.00 7.01 3.00 10.73 11.85 15.00 9.65 10.00 5.15 7.50	
Total	\$148.86	
Emblem Presentation		
 Humboldt No. 200, Humboldt Ely No. 56, Ely Shelby No. 140, Shelby Spencer No. 28, Spencer Bell No. 17, Sperry Edna No. 263, Perry Cleola Schamberger, personal donation Wellman No. 391, Wellman Orion No. 63, Shellsburg Algona No. 365, Algona 	\$5.00 15.00 3.10 4.85 8.50 5.00 2.00 7.99 12.00 3.50	

REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	55
81 Pond Lily No. 19, Lake View	7.04
28 Crescent No. 142, Manchester	5.50
51 Hawkeye No. 386, Fairfield	3.74
67 Maple Valley No. 212, Mapleton	2.20
9 Shamrock No. 296, Janesville 88 Royal No. 47, Creston	11.30 5.00
78 Council Bluffs No. 3, Council Bluffs	5.40
51 Salina No. 599, Salina	7.35
49 Pope No. 136, Maquoketa	3.10
86 Laurel No. 116, Traer	5.00
Total	\$122.67
Harvest Home Night	
1 Martha No. 37, Greenfield	\$ 3.00
53 Loyal No. 306, Monticello	6.25
64 Concordia No. 295, Marshalltown	6.58
9 Shamrock No. 296, Janesville	28.15
54 Emerald No. 152, Keota	5.00
86 Toledo No. 307, Toledo	11.65
96 Usona No. 458, Burr Oak	2.55
15 Lotus No. 87, Atlantic 42 Pink No. 426, Ackley	10.93 4.80
50 Eureka No. 52, Monroe	3.00
35 Rosella No. 177, Hampton	5.54
33 Jefferson No. 74, Oelwein	10.00
41 Charity No. 334, Britt	10.41
80 Valentine No. 528, Kellerton	3.40
6 Sincere No. 59, Belle Plaine	2.50
Total	\$113.76
Miscellaneous	
34 Nora Springs No. 483, Nora Springs	\$ 7.54
68 Albia No. 323, Albia	2.10
Total	\$9.64
50 Yr., Jewel Presentation	
77 Golden Star No. 352, Des Moines	\$15.00
Total	\$15.00
SEPTEMBER SUMMARY	
District Conventions	\$ 56.73
Harvest Gathering	148.86
Emblem Presentation	122.67
Harvest Home Night	113.76

PRESIDENT'S RE	PORT	
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Miscellaneous 50 Yr. Jewel Presentation	9.64 15.00
Total	\$466.66
OCTOBER 1971 COLLECTION	
Harvest Gathering	
8 Victoria No. 101, Ogden	\$ 5.00
59 Chariton No. 33, Chariton	10.00
34 Cedar Valley No. 226, Charles City 46 Humboldt No. 200, Humboldt	7.27 22.85
90 Olive & Oak, No. 455, Agency	2.2
7 Dorcas No. 564, Hudson	2.9
64 Grumme No. 460, Liscomb	8.35
38 Sunset No. 353, Grundy Center	4.61
43 Eleanor No. 164, Woodbine	6.95
77 Garcia No. 425, Mitchellville	10.80
78 Unity No. 388, Council Bluffs	6.55
88 Shannon City No. 285, Shannon City 4 Welcome No. 91, Moulton	10.45 7.05
96 Oneota No. 175, Decorah	15.0
Total	\$120.00
Emblem Presentation	
Emplem Flesentation	
11 Storm Lake No. 205, Storm Lake	\$ 7.25
19 Golden Palace, No. 578, New Hampton	4.30
32 Harmony No. 55, Estherville	6.00
53 Evangeline No. 31, Anamosa 46 Renwick No. 473, Renwick	5.00 4.00
79 Holly No. 309, Searsboro	6.63
15 Hony 110. 505, Scarsboro	
Total	\$33.18
Harvest Home Night	
42 Oxford No. 410, Oxford	\$12.05
11 Storm Lake No. 205, Storm Lake	14.00
39 Bagley No. 432, Bagley	14.17
81 Odebolt No. 336, Odebolt	7.95
23 Clinton No. 13, Clinton	4.50
71 Locke No. 430, Primghar 94 Bon Ami No. 280, Fort Dodge	7.15 6.79
57 Cedar No. 494, Cedar Rapids	14.11
28 Crescent No. 142, Manchester	2.75
13 Lincoln No. 278, Lohrville	4.37
8 Boone No. 301, Boone	11.68
42 Averine No. 196, Iowa Falls	5.80
50 Margaret No. 237, Newton	4.36
80 Magdalene No. 520, Mt. Ayr	6.33

REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	57	
76 Rolfe No. 125, Rolfe	3.42	
Total	\$119.43	
Miscellaneous		
49 Beehive No. 180, Sabula	\$ 2.76	
79 Grinnell No. 119, Grinnell	6.76	
68 Albia No. 323, Albia	1.60	
Total	\$11.12	
OCTOBER 1971 SUMMARY		
Harvest Gathering	\$120.00	
Emblem Presentation	33.18	
Harvest Home Night Miscellaneous	119.43 11.12	
Total	\$283.73	
Other Sources Theta Rho Recreational Fund		
79 Poweshiek No. 67, Malcom	\$1.00	
Total	\$1.00	
All Sources Total Collected for Month	\$284.73	
FINANCIAL SUMMARY FROM OCTOBER 10, 1970 THRU 0 9, 1971	CTOBER	
Home Fund Collections		
Memorials	\$ 27.00	
District Conventions	1,892.82	
Harvest Gathering Harvest Home Night	655.82 469.85	
Delegates Report Night	688.87	
Joint Meeting	4.69	
Installations Towels for Home	1,756.10 70.00	
Pot Luck Supper	8.96	
Therapy Room Equipment	100.00	
Rebekah Degree Class	14.90 27.85	
Initiatory Class Dedicated to President 75th Anniversary Meeting	16.65	
Opportunity Night	58.42	
HoBoNight Miscellaneous	55.44	
Friendship & Harvest Home Night	208.89 6.52	
Friendship Night	8.69	

Emblem Presentation	1,559.56
Special Donation	25.00
Emblem Presentation & Harvest Home and Harvest Gathering	
Night	30.37
Delegates Report and Emblem Presentation	6.86
Presentation of 50 Yr. Jewel	15.00
Home Fund Total	\$7,708.26

Other Sources

Educational Foundation Fund	\$ 487.51
Theta Rho Recreational Fund	262.00
World Eye Bank	20.61
Rose Bowl Float	13.00
Other Sources Total	\$783.12

TOTAL ALL COLLECTIONS FOR THE YEAR 1970-1971

\$8,491.38

I wish to say "Thanks" to every Rebekah who gave so generously to our Home Fund and other Collections which has made this wonderful report possible. It shows that we are always thinking of others and that we are "Actually, Interested, Fraternally in the success and growth of our Wonderful Order". It just goes to show that we can do it if we only try.

Other Donations Received Through My Office

Donations for our Homes as special gifts for Thanksgiving, Christmas and Memorials sent to me amounted to \$60.00. I sent these to Brother Dick Porter, Superintendent of our Homes at Mason City.

It made my heart very warm to receive money from lodges and members to furnish a room at our Homes at Mason City. This amounted to \$925.00 which I sent to our Superintendent. Those donating were: Elizabeth No. 444, Reinbeck; Bloomfield No. 1, Bloomfield; Earl and Elizabeth Seitsinger, South English; Jake and Emma Franklin, West Des Moines; Mary Irene Faus, West Des Moines and Oriole Rebekah Lodge No. 421 of Jewell.

I received \$2.00 for the Endowment Fund and forwarded this to our Grand Secretary, Berle J. Starr. I also sent a total of \$64.00 for the Elevator Fund at our Homes from Rebekah Lodges. District Deputy President's and staff and Past Noble Grand Circles. Many, thanks for the donations to the above named funds. It shows that you are always thinking of others and are working hard to carry out my program. The amount of \$1,049.00 was received through my office for the grand total and sent on to the proper place. This has certainly helped us to gain a bountiful "Harvest".

APPRECIATION

As my year of service as President draws to a close it is hard to put into words how I feel. The road seemed long as I assumed this station but proved to be very short and it proved to be a challenge. You opened

the door of opportunity for me and the memory of each day will stay with me always. At every turning of the way I was met by the smiling face of my Sisters and Brothers with their hands extended to me in

Friendship.

Every mile that I traveled this year brought me to an Oddfellows hall where I renewed old acquaintances and made many new friends. A friendly and cooperative spirit prevailed at all of the meetings and the lodge rooms were filled to capacity. Where there was no lodge hall available and the members met in the homes the same spirit of sincerity prevailed. The degree work that I witnessed was beautiful and effectively put on and it is my sincere wish that we continue to bring new members into our Order.

This has truly been a successful year in Rebekah - Oddfellowship but I have not done it alone, it is because you, and you my Sisters and Brothers have been working by my side to carry out the principles of

our Order.

I have reaped a "Harvest" of friends this year and in closing may I say, many pages could never do justice to the thanks I wish to express at this time to each officer and member who has helped me to make this a happy and wonderful year for me. Your notes of encouragement, and your desire to carry out my program are the things I shall never forget. Our Order is outstanding because of folks like you who are willing to serve and give of your time and energy. I shall always remember you for all you have done, not only for me, but for our Order.

I am so very proud of you,

You have been my shining stars twinkling in the blue,

There are chapels in my heart wherein each of you will dwell

There I have set apart with more love than I can tell.

To my Officers, What would I have done without you? A jollier, more congenial group could never be found. I will always remember all the good times we have shared together, always laughing, joking, teasing, sharing the joys together. You have made my year complete. Your sharing it with me will always be one of my most cherished memories.

Loyal companions, you were, every one,

For you always were so full of fun.

Riding up and down the State

Never slipping up on a date.

You loved to eat and love to go

You were always happy and gay

And thanks for backing me, all the way.

To Lylas, How can I tell how I feel about you. This year I have really gotten to know you and thus to love you. You have been my shadow, my guiding star, shared my pleasures and a few woes, you never complained but inspired me on my way. Ours has been a close bond of admiration and affection and it is my prayer that this bond will only grow stronger. Thanks for all your acts of kindness to me this year. In a few short hours giving you the gavel of authority with its joys as well as the responsibilities of directing our Assembly will be my privilege. I have told you many times if you would watch and behave yourself you would mature from a teen-ager into an adult capable of handling the office of President, and you have truly done so. As our "Harvest Session" fades and the splendor of a bright new year bursts into being,

may success and happiness be yours and your wildest dreams come true like mine did.

From your big Sis my advise is

Lay out more work than you can do, and do it Bite off more than you can chew, and chew it

Hitch your wagon to a star, get your seat and there you are.

To Maxine, Our Warden, Best wishes as you continue to climb the ladder of Rebekah - Oddfellowship. It has been wonderful to work with you and I thank you for your many acts of kindness that you have extended to me this year and always.

Everything good is wished for you As you journey Fraternity's road Joy, Co-operation, Friendship true

Nothing but kindness to lighten your load.

To Vivian, our Secretary, I have sought your advise and counsel many times this year and have found you to be a good advisor and a true friend. I am glad that your hair was gray before I assumed this office because I wouldn't want to take credit for it, only for making it grayer. I trust that you won't remember the times I was late with my report, but only the times I was early. I've enjoyed the many letters that have flown back and forth from Clear Lake to South English. Thanks for the prompt reply to our lodges and members when they write to you. It's truly been wonderful working with you and I thank you for the hospitality of your home.

May the roses that bloom in the garden of thought

Always be with you and never forgot.

For wherever you go or wherever you stay

May the roses of love fill your path all the way.

To Muriel, our Treasurer, You have given many hours of service to our Order and you keep a wonderful set of books. It has been nice to have you as my travel companion this year and I trust that you didn't mind my jokes about your being my "garbage disposal". You know that if I didn't love you I wouldn't tease you. We didn't always agree with each other but all in all we are still friends and this is the real meaning of friendship.

As you continue to travel on the road of Rebekah-Oddfellowship,

May you have much happiness and very few tears

and wherever you go, and whatever you do,

May the peace of God abide with you.

To Louise, my Marshall, It has been nice to have you, my life long friend as a member of my official family.

I owe a debt of gratitude

I can never repay

For the service you have rendered

In such a happy Fraternity Way.

To Jane, my Conductor, It is a pleasure to have you serve as an officer for me, for helping our Degree staff and in so many little ways.

You've been cheerful, you've been kind

You're the type that's hard to find.

You've been thoughtful and loyal, too

It's been wonderful just knowing you.

To my Assistant Marshal and Conductor, Ruth and Irene, You know how I feel about you.

Fraternity road is a wonderful Road

Because it is filled with friends who are true.

And deep down in my heart I am thankful today

for 'twas on that road I met you.

To Doris, my Chaplain, Ours has been a friendship of many years, you have filled your station with dignity and been a loyal friend.

With a character as faithful as the Ruth of old

Your prayers have brought comfort, a thousand-fold.

Giving your blessings of guidance and light

You've made my year so very happy and bright.

To Muriel, my Inside Guardian,

There's a little something about you that's extra special to me,

and as the flowers are made sweeter by sunshine and dew.

This old world is made brighter, by people just like you.

To Mae, my Outside Guardian,

There is nothing too good to wish for you,

But this wish I hope will come true.

That all the sunbeams you have scattered

May reflected, shine ever on you.

It has been wonderful to have you travel with me so much this year, to pick up after me and just the many little things that made my load lighter.

To Odetta, my Inside Stenographer, It has truly been nice to have you as a member of my official family. I trust that you have enjoyed another year of service to our Assembly.

A poet once this sentence penned;

The one is rich who has a friend.

I read it and thought, How True

He must have had a friend like you.

May good luck and happiness be yours as you continue to work in our Order.

To Florence, my Outside Stenographer.

It's hard to say how I feel about you. Thanks for representing me at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

Your quiet way has stolen my heart,

May all that is brightest and fairest

In life be your portion to share

Be happy, God's blessing attend you

Is ever my wish, my prayer.

To Sister Mary, My Musician.

Filling the air with melody on our special days,

Making our lives brighter in many wonderous ways.

The memory of your music, the memory of you,

Will make my life sweeter, each time I think of you,

my own Sister dear. It truly has been wonderful to have you Mary my older Sister as a member of my "official family". Thanks for the little things you did while I was gone and to help me on my way.

To Kay, My Messenger. Casey, I shall always be grateful for every word of encouragement, every act of kindness and love that you have bestowed upon me. For driving me to so many of the Conventions which helped me from getting tired, the hospitality of your home and the little things too numerous to mention.

What made us good friends, you and I?

I think I know, the reason why, The best in me and the best in you Hailed each other, because they knew That always and always since life began Our being friends, was part of God's plan.

To Eddis, my Soloist, Thanks so much for lending me and the Assembly your beautiful voice.

Our work would not be complete Without your musical voice I love your singing, it is true But more than that, I love you.

To Elaine, My Color Bearer,

"Tis the love of friends like you With words of praise and a cherry smile; Tis the faith of friends like you

That has made this year worthwhile.

To Lucille, My Advisor, I'll just say,

Your smile so warm and sunny Your friendly words of cheer Your loyalty, most of the time

Your kindness and understanding too.

It's these that make me certain

That there's no one just like you. To Sister Hazel, my Assistant Advisor,

There's a little way about you that is very dear.

A pleasant little way that makes me glad to have you here.

It brings a smile of welcome, a tear when you depart

And that little way about you has endeared you to my heart.

To my Committee Chairman, Edna, Georgia, Alice, Helen, Berniece, Marguarite, Henrietta and Emma. How can I really express how I feel about each of you. It is your gracious service that has kept the wheels of this session turning smoothly and easily. May the happiness you have scattered along the way as you worked this year be reflected in your lives. My sincere thanks and appreciation for your service to me and this Assembly.

To My Scrap Book Chairman, and Co-Chairman, my Sister Dorothy and Ruth members of my own lodge. Thanks for seeing that the memories of this year will be able to be relived through the pages of this scrap book.

To Grace, my Publicity Chairman, Thanks for compiling this book for me. I will enjoy reading the different articles and thus will recall my year of service as President of our Assembly.

Your friendly smile, your handclasp too

Has helped me on my way,

I will always be happy to greet you

As we meet along the way.

To the Past Presidents.

The time changes a lot of things
As seasons come and go
Old friends like you are still the same
and still the best to know.
God gives us many wondrous things,
I see them day by day

The grass, the trees, the sky above and flowers by the way. But greater far than those are friends God gives us on life's way Whose fellowship gives help and strength and courage day by day. I'm thankful for each one of you, The Past Presidents tried and true, who have been our example, loving, trusting kind and helpful too. I hope you know how I feel about you

I've been glad to have you with me

at Conventions, and meetings here and there, For we're all one big family, In Fraternal Sisterhood.

To my lodge: I humbly express my appreciation for your love, loyalty and support, not only for this year but through the past years. Whatever achievements I have gained during this year, I bring them proudly to lay them at your door. Look deep in my heart and there you will find my true appreciation and love for you and your many acts of thoughtfulness and kindnesses, not for just one hour; not for just one day, not for just one year, but Always.

You have given me your best,

And whenever you were called upon, You have measured up to every test. I'm proud of you, my own home folks and soon I'll return to be with you To try and show you what you've meant to me

For your years of faithfulness. Thanks.

To my folks, Nina and A.I., It was well that I dedicated my year of service to people who are very near and dear to me, my folks. They have rendered loving and outstanding service to our Order and to their fellowman. They have instilled in me the same love and devotion for our Order that they have. Their lives have been true examples of Rebekah - Oddfellowship. I thank you for your guidance and inspiration this year and for the past, Mother and Dad. May God bless you and keep you in the hollow of His hand always. I am really thankful that He gave me such loving folks like you to be my parents. To my husband Earl,

Last but not least, I thank you for your encouragement, your advise, your patience with me this year. I thank you for letting me devote a full year of service to our Order. The many hours you spent making my frame for the backdrop for my Sessions in Cedar Rapids, seeing that the car was always ready to go. For keeping the home fires burning while I was away and for the loving care you gave to my cats.

Earl, you know it really is the little things

That mean the most of all,

The Let me help you with things, and I'll be glad to do it.

To laugh with me, it made the outlook brighter.

The "Never mind the trouble", the "Yes, I understand" It's the little things that you've done that has helped me along the

To the Grand Master Milo Robinson, it has been a pleasure to have served with you in promoting the growth and prosperity of our Order.

To all Branches of our Order. I give you a very special thank you for you are a very important part in our Fraternal family and only by all of us working together as a united family can we help to keep our Order great. Your cooperation and support has been greatly appreciated this year.

To the entire membership:

In my travels, North, South, East and West With Fraternal love I have been blessed, The way you Rebekahs have welcomed me Will linger long in my memory. I've seen a lot of country, and met a lot of folks, I've found most people friendly and polite But my Sisters and Brothers in Iowa.

There's none than can compare to you.

In closing, I have come to the close of another year, with its record of hopes and fear. I will cherish with iov the achievements wrought, forgetting heartaches and tears. I lift my eyes to the hills, from whence cometh my help and as I close my book and say with a true and loving heart, Dear Lord, it has been a perfect year and I have tried to do my part. The work is done, how well, Only the Master knows. One never sees the fruit of all the seeds he sows. It may only be our part, to patiently turn the sod. One plants, another waters, but the increase comes from God.

Lovingly and fraternally, Elizabeth Seitsinger President Rebekah Assembly of Iowa

VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly, I.O.O.F. of Iowa:

Another year has come to a close, it was a privilege and honor to

serve as your Vice President of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa.

I have attended the receptions for Brother Milo Robinson, Grand Master; Sister Elizabeth Seitsinger, President of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa; Patriarch Kenneth Hollingsworth, Grand Patriarch of the Grand Encampment; Matriarch Arlene Sanders, Grand Matriarch of the Grand LEA; The receptions for Brother Glenn Irwin, Grand Chaplain of the Grand Lodge at Bedford; Brother Ronald Purhman, Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge; Sister Maxine Hackbarth, Warden of the Rebekah Assembly; Visited the Missouri Assembly in May.

Attended the presentations of the President's emblem at several Lodges enjoying the fellowship. It was my privilege to attend all but three of Sister Elizabeth's Convention and therefore renewing old friendships and making new ones. Attended most of my own Rebekah meetings, serving as their Financial Secretary. Served as Secretary of my LAPM Auxiliary and helped wherever possible for the good of Rebekah - Oddfellowship.

Was at Youth Camp — helping in the kitchen and with the crafts. How proud the Girls and Boys were when they completed their projects.

It was my pleasure to pin Sister Maxine Gilberts forty year jewel, as I was present the evening she became a Rebekah. Hope you have many more years of Service to the Order, Maxine.

Was invited to Logan, Oak Leaf Rebekah Lodge No. 141 and presented ten jewels to 50, 55, and 60 year members. Attended America Rebekah Lodge of Omaha and enjoyed the fellowship of these Sisters and Brothers of Nebraska.

Attended the Homes Picnic and spent the week at PM Park, serving as the Chairman of the Committee of Introductions.

Canvass of Election Returns for Delgates

On June 23, 1971 Sisters Mildred Moser, PNG of Columbian Rebekah Lodge and Elizabeth Anderson, PNG of Golden Star Rebekah Lodge assisted me in counting the votes for District Delegates in the Odd Numbered Districts and two special elections in Districts 96 and 98.

Number of Odd Numbered Districts 52

Number of Lodges sending no returns Lodges sending no returns:	Town
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21 Silver Maple No. 283	Royal
27 Equal Rights No. 419	Leon
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67	Maple View No. 53	Castana
71	Mary Tifft No. 335	Sanborn
85	Marion No. 108	Ames
97	Oto No. 266	Oto

Number of Lodges sending incorrect returns:

21	Spencer No. 28	Spencer No number of votes
25	Sunbeam No. 73	Adel no number of votes
	Venus No. 160	Redfield no votes
29	Paul Caster No. 348	Burlington no Noble Grands
		signature or number of votes
53	Madonna No. 303	Wyoming incorrect date
77	Ideal No. 493	Ankeny no Delegates names
85	Nevada No. 234	Nevada no votes
91	Milo No. 504	Milo no number of votes
99	Junietta No. 185	Eagle Grove used District
		number instead of Lodge number

DELEGATES ELECTED IN ODD NUMBERED DISTRICTS

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3	eva Steiber, Central Starr 403 Waukor	n 52172
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7	ella Yarrow, Thistle 261 LaPorte Cit	y 50651
9	Iaxine Wells, Shamrock 296 Denver	r 50622
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	athryn Kurth, Star 30 804 S. Center, Lake City	
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	ussie Langman, Dubuque 173 570 W 7th Dubuque	
	Ielen Tatro, West Union 97	
35	aVeta Liekweg, Rosella 177 First St. NW, Hampton	n 50441
37	Cthel Lorentzen, Ariel 60 Scranton	n 51462
39	Georgianna Roberts, Columbia 6 Stuar	16 50250 14 50499
41	Cate Nedved, Charity 334 Brit	11 50423
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	Edna Lee, Ida Grove 264 201½ Qumby, Ida Grov	e 51445
49	No Delegate	d 52556
51	essie Heater, Fairfield 96	u 52330
53	na Warren, Madonna 303 Wyomin	g 52502
55	Linnea Heisrodt, Algona 365 413 N Wooster St. Algon	n 59952
57	Helen Zimmerman, Hill City 359 Box 421, Lisbo Arlene Sheneberger, Cedar 494 1626 Center NE, Cedar	Rapids

	52402	
59	Marvel Willets, Chariton 33 Chariton 50049	
61	Luella Whitworth, Hawthorne 350 Macksburg 50155	
63	Bonnie Loynachan, Marion 70 1104 Park view Dr, Knoxville 50138	
65	Fae Dietchler, Woodland 552 Silver City 51571	
67	Arlone Willey, Elise 222 Onawa 51040	
69	Margaret Nelson, Faith 174506 Park Ave. Red Oak 51566	
71	Helen Purhman, Locke 430 Granville 51022	
73	Zula Pfander, Clarinda 317 423 W Washington St. Clarinda 51632	
75	No Lodge	
77	Bernice Longerbone, Acme 128 300 SE Rose, Des Moines 50315	
	Helen Way, Mercy 215 3140 Indianola Rd. Des Moines	
79	Alice Underwood, Vashti 113 Montezuma 50171	
81	Ivon Buehler, Odebolt 336 Odebolt 51453	
83	Marjorie Howard, Zenobia 286 Harlan 51537	
85	No Delegate	
87	Hazle Sexton, Timely 43 600 S Walnut, Lenox 50851	
89	Wilma Norton, Farmington 23 Farmington 52625	
91	Vanora Mullins, Indianola 111 604 South O, Indianola 50125	
93	Neva Barret, Fidelity 272 Lineville 50147	
95	Irene Buckley, Norther Light 344 Forest City 50436	
97	Lila Lillie, Valley 338 Anthon 51004	
99	Estella Hansen, Marietta 501 Clarion 50525	
Special		
96	Mabel White, Oneta 175 306 Decorah Ave. Decorah 52101	
98	Viola Read, Ina 429 Northwood 50459	
I wish to thank these Sisters for their assistance in counting these		
Delegates votes. A special Thank You to Sister Margaret McCoy, Past		
President of the Rebekah Assembly.		
	Sincerely and Fraternally	

Sincerely and Fraternally, Lylas E. Haydon, Vice President

LETTERS SENT TO DELEGATES, 6-26-71

Dear Sister Delegate:

I wish to extend my personal greetings to each newly elected and hold-over delegate. I shall look forward to meeting each one of you at our Rebekah Assembly Session to be held in Cedar Rapids at the Hotel Roosevelt on October 12th through October the 15th.

NEW DELEGATES: You will find enclosed your "Certificate of Election" which entitles you to serve your District as Delegate to the Rebekah Assembly for the next two years. PLEASE bring it with you to the Assembly.

HOLD-OVER DELEGATES: You will please bring your "Certificate of Election" you received last year in order that you will receive your Credentials. All Delegates must bring their "Official Certificate" showing their dues paid for the current year.

New Delegates, who have never received the "Assembly Degree" must present their "Past Noble Grand Certificate" to the Credentials Committee and they will inform you when you will meet the Assembly Warden to prepare to Receive the Assembly Degree.

The above mentioned credentials must be presented as soon as

possible after 9:00 A.M. on Tuesday, October 12th.

The Assembly Degree will be conferred at the Special Session of the Assembly Tuesday at 2:30 P.M. After receiving the Degree the Delegates will be qualified to be seated in the Opening Session of the Assembly Wednesday morning.

All Delegates are required to attend the Special Session Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 P.M. Ocotber 12th, which is a school of instruction for

the benefit of the Delegates.

You are required to recite the UN-written Work to a member of the Board of Instruction. You will then be issued a commission which entitles you to hear the UN-written Work in your District, ONLY.

You should obtain from the Lodge Secretaries in your District a list of the deceased members, who have passed away since the last Assembly Session. The lists are to be delivered as soon as possible on

arrival at the Assembly to the Memorial Chairman.

Delegates, you must make a report of the Rebekah Assembly to the Lodges in your District as soon as possible after your return from the Assembly. You are expected to make a report to the President of the Rebekah Assembly of the needs and conditions of each lodge visited in your District.

The duties of the Delegate may be found in the Rebekah Assembly

Journal 1970 Article VI, Sec. 6.

If for any reason a Delegate finds it impossible to attend the Assembly or perform the duties of her office and she feels it necessary to resign, her resignation must be submitted to the Assembly President, Elizabeth Seitsinger, and all credentials must be enclosed with the letter of resignation. The President will appoint someone to fill the vacancy. The District will then be represented at the Assembly.

Attention Hold-Over Delegates, if your recommendation for District Deputy President has not yet been sent to me, please do so at once.

This is very important.

I will be happy to help you in any way that I can, and I am looking forward to working with each Delegate for the good of our Order.

Sincerely and Fraternally, Lylas E. Haydon, Vice President Rebekah Assembly of Iowa

Dear Sister Delegate:

In accordance with the duties of the Vice President as listed in Article VI, Sec. 2, Paragraph (c) of the Rebekah Assembly Constitution. To the Hold-over and Retiring Delegates of the responsibility in obtaining the name of a Past Noble Grand in good standing to serve your District as the District Deputy President.

ARTICLE VI, SEC. 6, DUTIES OF DELEGATE

(a) After ascertaining which lodge or lodges of the District is entitled to select the District Deputy President, the hold-over and retiring delegates shall notify said lodge or lodges of same by letter or by appearing in person, either prior to, or at the last meeting in June. Upon notification, the lodge shall on the last regular meeting in June or the first meeting in July, proceed to nominate and elect a Past Noble Grand in good standing to receive the appointment. It shall be the duty of the lodge secretary to immediately notify the delegate or delegates.

under seal of the lodge, of the selection. The delegates shall recommend to the Vice President prior to September 1st, the name of the Past Noble Grand so selected.

After you have ascertained from the lodge secretary the name and address of the Past Noble Grand so selected, you will fill out the name and complete address on the card enclosed and mail to me immediately.

Sincerely and Fraternally, Lylas E. Haydon Vice President

Sister Elizabeth.

I have enjoyed working and traveling with you this year, I feel our friendship has grown and we really know one another. We've talked and laughed together. We've enjoyed the self same things. We've known the happy feeling, That true understanding brings, And with all my heart I'm hoping That whatever life may send Throughout the years that lie ahead I'll have you for my Friend.

To the Officers it has been a pleasure and I feel we have gained much in our Order.

To the Rebekahs of Iowa I am proud to have served you another year and am looking forward to the coming year.

"The thing that goes the farthest
Toward making life worth while,
That costs the least and does the most
Is just a pleasant smile.
It's fraught with human kindness,
With many a joy it's blent;
It is worth a million dollars
And it doesn't cost a cent."

Fraternally, Lylas E. Haydon Vice President Rebekah Assembly of Iowa

WARDEN'S REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

One year ago I assumed the office of Warden with gratitude to the Rebekahs of Iowa for giving to me the opportunity to serve in this capacity. Today I again speak with a grateful Heart and thank you for a wonderful year in our Assembly work.

I sincerely thank you for your confidence and present this report of

my first year of service.

It was my privilege to attend the receptions of five of the elective officers of our branches, but I truly regret that circumstances prevented my attendance at the receptions for our Grand Master and

Assembly President.

While I could not accept all the welcome invitations I received, it was with pleasure that I could be with the Rebekahs at 20 District Conventions, 1 Opportunity Night, 3 Harvest Nights, 6 Emblem Presentations, 6 installation ceremonies, 1 Theta Rho and 1 Hawkeye Junior Lodge installation, a consolidation meeting of two Rebekah lodges, a Youth Committee meeting, Open House at the I.O.O.F. Home. the Four-State Conclave, 1 picnic planning meeting and the annual Homes Picnic, and was pleased to be at the majority of the meetings of my own lodge, Acme No. 128 in Des Moines, where a beautiful new piano, purchased in my honor, adorns our lodge hall for me to use as lodge musician.

It was a great pleasure to work with Ron Puhrman, Grand Warden, and Victor Lyons, Secretary - Treasurer of the picnic committee, with the wonderful help and cooperation of Brother and Sister Porter, in preparations for our Annual Homes Picnic. Ron, Sally and I met in the gracious hospitality of Victor and Hazel Lyons' home for our planning meeting. We decided at this time to dispense with the use of the tent because of the increasing cost and set up the stage and seats out in the open in front of the residents buildings so that they, too, could enjoy the program.

Brother Berle Starr and his efficient staff mailed our letter to all Odd Fellow and Rebekah lodges requesting .03 per member for the picnie fund. We received \$306.86 from 145 Odd Fellow lodges and \$502.25 from 252 Rebekah Lodges, and the balance in the fund to begin with was

\$62.52.

We decided to change the dinner arrangements this year, and hired a catering service from Mason City to serve a picnic - style meal out doors, for which we sold tickets at \$1.75 per person. The amount of \$427.25 was received from the sale of these tickets with the bill to the caterer being \$386.25, so a small profit was made here, also.

The total amount taken in with the balance on hand was \$1298.88. The expenses total \$667.60, including the dinner expense. The amount on hand now is \$631.28, and Brother Ron and I are requesting that the amount of \$575.00 be used for some project for the good of our I.O.O.F. Home and the balance of \$56.28 remain in the fund for the use of the

Wardens next year.

My deepest appreciation to the elective officers of the Ladies Encampment Auxiliary, to sisters from Diadem Rebekah Lodge No. 372 of Cherokee and to my girls, Sisters Ruth Clark and Irene Horner from Des Moines, for so willingly taking care of the registration and sale of dinner tickets.

Brother Kenneth Hollingsworth and the Encampment branch very capably handled the parking of the cars.

An impressive flag raising ceremony was presented by the ladies and chevaliers of the Patriarch Militants branch of the Order.

Brother Glenn Irwin, Grand Chaplain, and Sister Mary Shafer. Assembly Musician, were in charge of Sunday School and Church services with the assistance of Brother Marston and Rev. Harcey, pastor at the Home. Thank you, Brother Glenn and Sister Mary, for a job "well-done".

Even though the skies were very gray and the clouds were very "drippy" in the days preceding the picnic Sunday, our Heavenly Father blessed us with a beautiful and sunny day so we could sit out under the shade trees and enjoy the afternoon program.

We were very happy to have over 400 attend the picnic and visit with our residents. This is their Home and ours — let's work for its future!

Included in our program was a very talented organist, John Stoffel, and his wife with music and singing, a clever and comical reading given by Lorraine Reynolds of Mason City and that fine baritone voice of our Deputy Grand Master Arthur Marston in a song dedicated to his co-worker, Sister Lylas Haydon. The elective officers of all branches of the Order were introduced, and we were most happy to have with us General Commanding Edward Richter of Madison, Wisconsin, and his wife, Faith, Vice - President of the Ladies Auxiliary Patriarchs Militant of the World. The new Wardens - elect, Brother Delbert Gerholdt and Sister Edna Ward, were also presented. The trustees of the Home were recognized and we do extend thanks to them for conducting tours through the buildings for us. Our Grand Master Brother Milo, and our Assembly President Sister Elizabeth, each brought us inspiring messages for which we are grateful. We, the members of this Order, can be so thankful for the wonderful Superintendent and Matron that we have at our Home. Their help and hospitality was great. Thank you, Dick and Dorothy.

And to Brother Ron, your cooperation has been beyond all expectations and the "call of duty" so far, and I know the years ahead will hold a bountiful harvest of blessings as we work together for this great Order

great Order.

One of the pleasant duties of the Warden is to review and make a report of the journals of other jurisdictions. This has been very inspiring and has given me much food for thought. You will find this report of the 41 journals I received elsewhere in this journal.

And now in closing, my sisters and brothers, words cannot express my heartfelt appreciation for the kindness and courtesies extended to me as I have traveled this grand Jurisdiction, for the many friends I have made, and to my own lodge for that lovely reception, for all your help and for the satisfaction of knowing you are there with me each step of the way.

To Elizabeth, Lylas, Vivian and Muriel, my co-workers, your help has meant so very much to me and may God bless and keep you. To each and every one of you, my Rebekah friends of Iowa, I shall never cease to be grateful for the honor of serving you.

God bless the friendship that we share
Together — You and I,
And may it grow still deeper
As the coming years go by.

Sincerely and Fraternally, Maxine Hackbarth, Warden Rebekah Assembly of Iowa

SECRETARY'S REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of the

Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the State of Iowa:

In compliance with the provisions of the Rebekah Assembly Constitution, I present for your approval and consideration a report of all business transactions of the Secretary's office and a financial statement of all funds received and disbursed during the fiscal year, commencing August 1, 1970 and ending July 31, 1971, also the statistical report of the Theta Rho Clubs for the year August 1, 1970 to July 31, 1971.

CEDAR RAPIDS

The 84th Annual session of the Rebekah Assembly will be held in Cedar Rapids October 12, 13, 14 and 15th. According to history this will be the eleventh time we have met in this fair city and from past history we all can be assured of a wonderful welcome by the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of Cedar Rapids.

May this Harvest session of Rebekah Oddfellowship show to our Assembly President, Sister Elizabeth Seitsinger that we have all been ACTUALLY INTERESTED FRATERNALLY in the Success and growth of our wonderful Order.

SOVEREIGN GRAND LODGE AND INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF REBEKAH ASSEMBLIES

The reports of the 1970 session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge held in Gatlenburg, Tennessee were received and a copy was sent to the Assembly Officers, Past Presidents, Committee Chairmans and all Rebekah Lodges in the state of Iowa.

The Sovereign Grand Lodge journal and the International Association journal were received and placed on file in the office. Thanks to

Brother Winters and Sister LaOrange for the journals.

I have received many journals from other jurisdictions, these have been turned over to our Assembly Warden, Sister Maxine Hackbarth so she may compile her Jurisdictional Report. I wish to thank the many Secretaries for these journals, we do enjoy reading of the work of our Sister States.

The required statistical report of the Rebekah Assembly and Theta Rho Clubs were compiled and sent to A. Ford Winters, Sovereign Grand Secretary and a report of the Rebekah Lodges was sent to Sister Evelyn La Orange our International Secretary. The International Per Capita Tax of \$105.00 was sent and Sovereign Grand Lodge Tax of \$4394.50, receipts for same have been received.

All reports as requested by the Sovereign Grand Lodge and the I.A.R.A. Secretary giving detailed information of the Lodges and Theta Rho Clubs were sent as directed.

The Credentials for the Representative to the I.A.R.A. to be held in Van Couver, British Columbia were received, signed by the President and Secretary, imprint of the seal placed and one copy given to Sister Marjorie Heft, Jr. P.P. and Representative and the other sent to Sister Evelyn La Orange.

The information was sent to the International Rebekah News, giving the names of the President and Secretary also the time and place of the next meeting.

FRATERNAL PRESS

The Hawkeye Odd Fellow is sent to each Rebekah Lodge and Theta Rho Club in the State, a courtesy extended to the Lodges and Clubs by the Rebekah Assembly. The Presidents communication and the Home Bulletin are printed in this fraternal paper and it is the duty of the Secretary to read these in open lodge.

GREETINGS

Greetings have been sent to every Assembly Secretary to be read to their Assembly session. These greetings were compiled by our Assembly President, Sister Elizabeth Seitsinger and a copy of same will be found in her report.

CAMP HALADA

According to reports Camp Halada will be held at Springbrook Park near Guthrie Center August 8 through 12, Sister Hallie Posnecker will again be the camp Director. A fine program is planned for the youth and we hope they have a very fine group attending this year.

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

The Journal of proceedings of the 1970 Assembly were edited by your Assembly Secretary and all of the copy was in the hands of the printer by the 12th of November. The journal was a few pages less this year and we are in hopes of cutting a little more this year as printing is getting so high. The journals were brought to Clear Lake and my husband and I stuffed the envelopes, stamped and mailed them out from Clear Lake as the postage was much cheaper. This is the first time this has been done by the Assembly Secretary as the printer has done this in the years past.

I.A.R.A. GUEST

At the request of the President Sister Elizabeth Seitsinger, I wrote to Sister Evelyn Reese, International Vice President of Grand Rapids, Minnesota asking her to be our guest for our 1971 session to be held in Cedar Rapids. At this date we have received no letter as to who our guest will be.

CORRESPONDENCE

The correspondence has been heavy again this year but I have tried to answer all mail promptly and send all supplies as soon as I have received the orders. Many lodges are still not sending the money with

the orders and this makes my postage bill more when I have to send out bills for same. Please Secretaries try and send the money with your orders, you have a price list of most all supplies that I carry in the office and it should be placed in the back of your secretary's book for your information.

NECESSARY SUPPLIES MAILED TO LODGE SECRETARIES, PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

In compliance with the duties of my office, the Annual and Semi-Annual reports were mailed to all lodge Secretaries by December 15, 1970 and June 15, 1971. Past Noble Grand Certificates and Memorial

Blanks were enclosed in the respective reports.

The material necessary for election of Delegates in the odd numbered Districts was mailed to the lodge Secretaries in those Districts with full instructions as how to proceed, number of Delegates each District was allowed and the total membership of Districts electing a Delegate also the election returns sheets ballots and envelopes for the June election were sent with the Delegates election material to save postage. Then on May 15, 1971 the rest of the election return material was sent to the remaining Secretaries in the even numbered Districts for the June election of State Officers.

I gave to the President and Vice President a corrected list of regular meeting nights of each lodge entitled to vote.

ANNUAL REPORTS

At the 1959 Session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge legislation was passed requiring the Assembly Secretary of each Jurisdiction to furnish a detailed statement of income, expenses, membership and etc, of all lodges in her Jurisdiction.

This year you were notified that if your gross income was \$5000.00 or

more you must file with the Internal Revenue.

Most of the lodges are cooperating very well in breaking down their receipts and disbursements which makes my work a little easier in the office. Secretaries keep up this good work.

SUPPLIES

The sale of supplies has been real good again this year and I want to thank all of the lodges for ordering from the Assembly the supplies that you can as this helps our treasury. I have tried to send all supplies as soon as the order was received and I pledge to the Rebekahs of Iowa the same service for the coming year.

COMMUNICATIONS

I have received communications in regard to the World Eye Bank, Rose Bowl Float, S.G.L. and I.A.R.A. Youth Committee, United Nations Pilgrimage and the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier which I have placed on file in the office.

EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION FUND

The donations from the lodges of Iowa for this fund has been most gratifying, it shows that you are really interested in the youth of today

and want to help further someones education. A check has been sent to Sister Ethel Kelley, Executive Secretary of the Foundation.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF REBEKAH LODGES

Statistics taken from the annual reports of Rebekah Lodges for the

	1	
1	year commencing January 1, 1970 and ending December 31, 1970.	
	Number of Lodges	318
	Number of Lodges consolidated	6
	Number of Lodge Charters surrendered	8
1	Total loss of lodges	6
1	Number of Lodges December 31, 1970	304

Annual Report of Membership

Number of members as per report	1,564	16,732	18,296
Initiated during the year	12	101	
Error in last report	321	00	
Admitted by Card	1	25	
Reinstated	6	25	
Total Membership	1,897	16,903	18,000
From which deduct			
Withdrawal by Card	9	82	
Error	11	349	
Dropped for non-payment of dues	24	419	
Deceased	36	193	
Total loss	80	1,043	
Membership, December 31, 1970	1,817	15,860	17,677

CHARTERS SURRENDERED

September 9, 1970 Naomi Rebekah Lodge No. 29, Sibley December 17, 1970 Leech Rebekah Lodge No. 76, Des Moines January 14, 1971 Plymouth Star Rebekah Lodge No. 225, Kingsley January 14, 1971 Jeptha Rebekah Lodge No. 187, Maxwell March 10, 1971 Evergreen Rebekah Lodge No. 149, Springville March 15, 1971 New York Rebekah Lodge No. 517, Millerton March 5, 1971 Cleghorn Rebekah Lodge No. 446, Cleghorn

CONSOLIDATIONS — REBEKAHS

January 14, 1971 Mayflower Rebekah Lodge No. 172, Des Moines, with Alpha Rebekah Lodge No. 172, Des Moines.

Theta Rho Charter Surrendered

January 26, 1971 Valley Theta Rho Club No. 34, West Des Moines

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF REBEKAH LODGES FOR 1970

Receipts for dues	\$83,757.61
Receipts for Admission	2,046.50
Receipts from invested funds	1,898.47
Receipts from other sources	87,025.33
Total receipts	\$174.727.91

SUMMARY OF AMOUNT PAID FOR RELIEF

Relief of Members Relief of Orphans & Widows Contributed to Homes Special Relief	\$ 6,819.28 7,132.53 27,185.53 3,681.58
Total amount spent for relief Amount spent for current expenses for Rebekah Lodges Amount contributed to Homes Invested funds of Rebekah Lodges Investéd funds of Rebekah Assembly	\$44,818.92 \$172,474.09 27,185.53 64,761.88 33,413.84

THETA RHO GIRLS CLUB REPORT January 1, 1970 — December 31, 1970

Number of Clubs	11
Number of members last report	249
Initiated during the year	56
Total	305
From which deduct	
Error in last report	1
Withdrew	2
Dropped for non-payment of dues	44
Total	47
Active Members December 31, 1970	258

PAID OUT

Special Relief	\$ 439.20
Receipts from dues	301.40
Receipts for admission	137.00
Receipts from other sources	1,539.38
Total receipts	1,977.78
Amount paid out for current expenses	1,675.99
Invested funds	25.00

THETA RHO PER CAPITA TAX

Per Capita Tax received for the year July 31, 1970 to	August 1, 19	971.
Old Gold No. 1 Iowa City		.90
Golden Rule No. 6, Des Moines	2.10	2.30
Blue Crest No. 13 Fort Dodge		
Pluma Azul No. 20, Lineville		
Sunsette No. 26, Britt		
Starlite No. 32, Indianola	1.30	
Little Angel No. 33, Red Oak	3.35	2.70
Council Bluffs No. 34	.95	
Amor Fides Fidel No. 37, Creston	.25	
Nishnabotna No. 38, Shenandoah	.70	.60

Hopeful Hearts No. 39, Glenwood

2.15 1.65

Total collected for the year

18.95

VACATIONS

I have received letters from 119 lodges who voted to vacation for their last meeting in July and the month of August, however I feel that there are more lodges vacationing and failed to notify the President and Secretary. May you who are on vacation start your fall meetings with a renewed interest and enthusiasm to work just a little harder for our great order, so that we can show our Assembly President that we are ACTUALLY INTERESTED FRATERNALLY in the success and growth of our wonderful order.

AMENDMENTS TO THE REBEKAH ASSEMBLY AND REBEKAH LODGE CONSTITUTIONS

Amendments to the Rebekah Assembly and Rebekah Lodge Constitutions were received in the Office of the Assembly Secretary prior to September 1, 1971 from the Executive Committee and a copy of same was sent to all Officers, Delegates, Committee Chairmans and Past Presidents on September 10, 1971 which will be found in the proceedings of the Assembly as passed at the 1971 session.

NUMERICAL LIST OF REBEKAH LODGES AND THE REBEKAH ASSEMBLY PER CAPITA TAX AND GRAND LODGE HOME MAINTENANCE FUND PER CAPITA TAX

Lodge No. Location	Jar	ı. Jan	. July	July
	Ass'y Tax G.	L.H.M.	Ass'y G	.L.H.M.
Bloomfield 1, Bloomfield	46.00	138.00	64.75	138.75
Scott-Zedoka 2, Davenport	5.50	16.50		
Council Bluffs 3, Council Bluffs	23.75	71.25	33.25	71.25
Colfax 4, Keokuk	11.50	34.50	17.85	38.25
Praha 5, Cedar Rapids	54.5 0			160.50
Columbia 6, Stuart	26 .00	78.00	36.40	78.00
Josephine 7 Guttenburg	5.50	16.50	8.75	18.75
Golden Crown 8, Dunlap	9.00	27.00	10.85	23.25
Golden Link 10, Coon Rapids	18.00	54.00	24.85	53.25
Ruth 12, Burlington	2.50	7.50	3.50	7.50
Clinton 13, Clinton	38.50	115.50	50.75	108.75
Oskaloosa 16, Oskaloosa	9.75	29.25	14.00	30.00
Bell 17, Sperry	6.00	18.00	8.40	18.00
Pond Lily 19, Lake View	12.00	36.00	16.80	36.00
Lillian 20 Missouri Valley	8.50	25.50	10.85	23.25
Rhodema 21, Carlisle	13.50	40.50	18.90	40.50
Clutier 22, Clutier	5.50	16.50	7.70	16.50
Farmington 23, Farmington	8.00	24.00	9.45	20.25
Beulah 24, Jefferson	17.25	5 51.75	21.70	46.50
Lillium 25, Independence	25.73	77.25	36.75	78.75
Miriam 27, Muscatine	28.73	82.50	39.20	84.00
Spencer 28, Spencer	31.00	93.00	41.65	89.25

Star 30, Lake City	14.00	42.00	20.75	44.25
Evangeline 31, Anamosa	10.25	30.75	14.00	30.00
Chariton 33, Chariton	21.50	64.50	20.50	61.50
Strawberry 34, Strawberry Point	3.50	9.75	4.55	9.75
Grove City 35, Marion	21.75	61.50	31.50	67.50
Fidelia 36, Sheldon	8.75	26.25	11.90	25.50
Martha 37, Greenfield	7.25	21.75	10.15	21.75
Mistletoe 38, Hamilton	4.75	14.25	6.65	14.25
Ivy 39, Afton	8.00	24.00	11.20	24.00
Marshall 40, Marshalltown	46.75	140.25	62.30	133.50
Myrah 41, Ottumwa	25.75	73.50	33.25	71.25
Scarlet 42, Pocahontas	10.50	31.50	13.65	29.25
Timely 43, Lenox	7.00	21.00	10.50	22.50
Crystal 45, Mount Pleasant	23.00	69.00	31.85	68.25
Anchor 46, New Hartford	11.75	35.25	15.40	33.00
Royal 47, Creston	33.00	99.00	45.50	97.50
Post 48, Postville	4.25	12.75	5.95	12.75
Zilpha 49, Rock Rapids	4.75	14.25	6.65	14.25
Eureka 52, Monroe	8.50	21.75	10.15	21.75
,	7.00	21.73	9.80	21.73
Mapleview 53, Castana				
Temple 54, Waterloo	37.50	112.50	54.60	117.00
Harmony 55, Estherville	12.00	36.00	17.15	36.75
Ely 56, Ely	26.00	78.00	36.40	78.00
Sarah 57, Osceola	17.25	51.75	25.20	54.00
Zimri 58, Washington	33.50	100.50	44.45	95.25
Sincere 59, Belle Plaine	22.00	66.00	30.80	66.00
Ariel 60, Scranton	17.00	51.00	22.75	48.75
Delilah 61, State Center	8.00	24.00	10.50	22.50
Orion 63, Shellsburg	12.25	36.75	17.15	36.75
Oakland 65, Oakland	9.75	29.25	13.65	29.25
Poweshiek 67, Malcom	8.75	26.25	11.90	25.50
Marion 70, Knoxville	36.75	110.25	51.10	109.50
Purity 72, Webster City	26.75	76.50	34.30	73.50
Sunbeam 73, Adel	12.50	37.50	17.50	37.50
Jefferson 74, Oelwein	27.25	81.75	37.45	80.25
Garrison 75, Garrison	12.25	36.75	16.45	35.25
Rachel 77, Eldon	17.00	51.00	23.45	50.25
Home 79, Cedar Rapids	15.50	46.50	22.05	47.25
Starlight 80, Alpha	4.25	12.75	5.60	12.00
Amaryllis 81, West Des Moines	28.00	84.00	37.45	80.25
Silver Lining 82, DeWitt	5.50	16.50	7.70	16.50
Bethuel 83, Churdan	19.50	58.50	26.60	57.00
Kalona 84, Kalona	12.50	37.50	17.50	37.50
Webster 85, Gowrie	5.00	15.00	5.95	12.75
Lotus 87, Atlantic	24.50	66.00	29.75	63.75
Hamburg 88, Hamburg	18.00	54.00	26.25	56.25
Welcome 91, Moulton	18.75	56.25	26.25	57.75
Mispah 92, Guthrie Center	23.50	70.50	33.25	71.25
Anna 95, Centerville	23.50 12.00			
		36.00	18.80	34.50
Fairfield 96, Fairfield West Union 97, West Union	22.25	66.75	31.50	67.50
West Union 97, West Union	12.75	38.25	16.45	35.25
Bremer 98, Sumner	7.00	21.00	9.80	21.00
Springville 99, Springville	9.75	29.25	13.30	28.50

Fulton 100, Fulton	9.50	28.50	13.30	28.50
Victoria 101, Ogden	5.50	16.50	7.70	16.50
Low Moor 102, Low Moor	11.50	34.50	16.10	34.50
Vestal 103, Lehigh	8.75	26.25	12.60	27.00
Echo 104, Princeton	10.25	30.75	14.70	31.50
Tina 105, Clear Lake	38.25	114.75	56.00	120.00
Queen 106, Mason City	59.00	177.00	85.05	182.25
Gold Leaf 107, Blairsburg	10.75	32.25	14.70	31.50
Marion 108, Ames	22.75	68.25	30.10	64.50
Farnhamville 109, Farnhamville	3.50	10.50	4.90	10.50
Indianola 111, Indianola	48.50	145.50	69.30	148.50
Vashti 113, Montezuma	13.50	40.50	18.20	39.00
Laurel 116, Traer	11.00	33.00	15.05	32.25
Maple Grove 117, Wesley	3.75	10.50	4.20	9.00
Grinnell 119, Grinnell	32.25	96.75	44.45	95.25
Bonaparte 122, Bonaparte	4.00	12.00	5.95	12.75
Adah 123, West Liberty	29.00	87.00	40.00	86.25
LeClaire 124, LeClaire	2.00	6.00	2.80	6.00
Rolfe 125, Rolfe	7.00	21.00	9.45	20.25
Eden 126, Linden	4.75	14.25	6.30	13.50
Acme 128, Des Moines	16.75	50.25	25.90	55.50
Derexa 129, Wapello	16.00	48.00	23.40	47.25
Prairie Gem 131, Allerton	17.50	52.50	25.90	55.50
Enterprise 132, Ottumwa	18.25	54.75	24.85	53.25
Golden Rule 134, Bedford	21.75	65.25	31.50	67.50
Pope 136, Maquoketa	19.00	49.50	22.75	48.75
White Lily 137, Sheffield	6.75	20.25	9.45	20.25
Esther 138, Murray	4.50	13.50	7.00	15.00
Shelby 140, Shelby	5.75	17.25	8.05	17.25
Mary 141, Logan	17.25	51.75	24.15	51.75
Crescent 142, Manchester	21.50		30.45	65.25
Cora 143, Fontanelle	10.00	30.00	13.65	29.25
Eldora 144, Eldora	8.25	24.75	10.85	23.25
Miawa 146, Humeston	23.25		34.30	73.50
Evergreen 149, Springville		6.75 Char		
Emerald 152, Keota	14.00	42.00	19.25	41.25
Genevieve 154, Hartley	5.75	17.25	7.00	15.00
_	6.25			
Home Charity 156, Preston Venus 160, Redfield	9.25	18.75 27.75	8.40	18.00
·	18.00	54.00	12.60	27.00
Ruby 161, Victor			24.50	52.50
Golden Rod 162, Belmond	22.50	67.50	29.75	63.75
Eleanor 164, Woodbine	12.25	36.75	17.15	36.75
Mae Henry 165, Bondurant	7.00	21.00	9.10	19.50
Nishna Valley 166, Shenandoah	30.25	90.75	42.00 Conso	90.00 lidated
Mayflower 172, Des Moines	9.50	28.50		
Dubuque 173, Dubuque	6.75	20.25	9.10	19.50
Faith 174, Red Oak	37.75	113.25	52.50	112.50
Oneota 175, Decorah	23.00	69.00	32.90	70.50
Diamond Link 176, Tama	13.25	39.75	18.55	39.75
Rosella 177, Hampton	21.75	65.25	28.70	61.50
Primrose 179, Dows	2.75	4.50	2.10	4.50
Bee Hive 180, Sabula	9.50	28.50	12.95	27.75
Columbian 181, Des Moines	39.75	119.25	53.20	114.00

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Clio 182, New Sharon	12.50	37.50	17.15	36.75
Junietta 185, Eagle Grove	15.00	45.00	22.05	47.25
Jeptha 187, Maxwell		.75 Chart		
Sweet Brier 188, Des Moines	27.00	81.00	37.10	79.50
Zora 189, Shell Rock	13.00	39.00	17.85	38.25
Central 191, Carroll	8.50	25.50	11.20	24.00
Daffodil 193, Union	7.75	23.25	10.50	22.50
Averine 196, Iowa Falls	22.25	66.75	30.80	66.00
Eva Ann 197, Dexter	8.75	26.25	12.25	26.25
Humboldt 200, Humboldt	21.75	65.25	29.75	63.75
Deborah 202, Brooklyn	17.25	51.75	23.45	50.25
Miles 204, Miles	8.75	26.25	12.25	26.25
Storm Lake 205, Storm Lake	43.00	125.25	58.10	124.50
Zerah 210, Rockwell City	6.25	18.75	8.75	18.75
Maple Valley 212, Mapleton	8.00	24.00	11.20	24.00
Mercy 215, Des Moines	22.00	66.00	31.50	67.50
Loyalty 217, Garner	9.00	27.00	12.60	27.00
Golden Glow 218, Kanawha	11.00	33.00	15.40	33.00
Star of Maine 221, Cedar Rapids	22.50	67.50	31.50	67.50
Elise 222, Onawa	20.25	60.75	30.05	61.50
Belvidere 224, Moville	5.25	15.75	8.05	17.25
Plymouth Star 225, Kingsley		.75 Chart		
Cedar Valley 226, Charles City	26.50	79.50	37.45	80.25
Marguerite 233, Earlham	7.75	23.25	10.85	23.25
Nevada 234, Nevada	8.25	24.75	10.50	22.50
Friendship 235, Decatur	11.00	33.00	15.75	33.75
Morning Star 236, Elberon	6.75	20.25	9.45	20.25
Margaret 237, Newton	25.75	77.25	36.05	77.25
Ballantyne 238, Otho	5.00	15.00	7.00	15.00
Isadore 239, Bussey	8.75	26.25	12.25	26.25
Royal Blue 240, Manly	17.75	53.25	26.60	57.00
Juanto 250, Selma	8.50	25.50	12.60	27.00
Cornelia 252, Riverton	12.50	33.75	14.70	31.50
Mystic Star 255, Mystic	7.25	21.75	10.15	21.75
Happy Thought 256, Cedar Falls	38.25	114.75	53.20	114.00
Buena Vista 258, Newell	14.25	42.75	19.95	42.75
Imogene 259, Sac City	19.50	58.50	26.60	57.00
Thistle 261, La Porte City	25.50	76.50	36.05	77.25
Sigourney 262, Sigourney	23.25	69.75	32.90	70.50
Ednah 263, Perry	32.00	92.25	43.05	92.25
Ida Grove 264, Ida Grove	20.25	60.75	29.75	63.75
Paradise 265, Sioux City	12.50	37.50	16.80	36.00
Oto 266, Oto	2.75	8.25	3.15	6.75
Good Hope 267, Wever	7.50	22.50	11.20	24.00
Colo 270, Colo	4.25	12.75	7.00	15.00
Fidelity 272, Lineville	13.25	39.75	17.85	38.25
Rainbow 277, Lacona	9.25	27.75	12.60	27.00
Lincoln 278, Lohrville	12.25	36.75	16.80	36.00
Bon Ami 280, Fort Dodge	24.00	72.00	35.37	75.75
Silver Maple 283, Royal	4.50	13.50	6.30	13.50
Cresco 284, Cresco	6.25	18.75	8.75	18.75
Shannon City 285, Shannon City	1.50	4.50	2.10	4.50
Zenobia 286, Harlan	35.00	105.00	48.65	104.25

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Denison 420, Denison	8.25	24.75	11.20	24.00
Oriole 421, Jewell	9.50	28.50	12.25	26.25
Garcia 425, Mitchellville	16.25	48.75	23.80	51.00
Pink 426, Ackley	5.25	15.75	6.65	14.25
New Market 427, New Market	5.25	15.75	7.00	15.00
Colesburg 428, Colesburg	8.50	25.50	11.55	24.75
Ina 429, Northwood	6.75	18.00	8.05	17.25
Locke 430, Primghar	15.00	45.00	20.30	43.50
Silver Star 431, Lake Park	16.50	49.50	23.10	49.50
Bagley 432, Bagley	28.25	84.75	39.55	84.75
Bonanza 435, Armstrong	10.50	31.50	14.00	30.00
Marathon 437, Marathon	8.00	24.00	11.55	24.75
Riverview 442, Hastings	4.50	13.50	11.00	21. (0
Elizabeth 444, Reinbeck	13.25	39.75	20.65	44.25
Cleghorn 446, Cleghorn		2.25 Char		
	15.25	45.75	20.65	44.25
Spirit Lake 447, Spirit Lake		63.00		
Grand Junction 448, Grand Junction	21.00		28.00	60.00
Pisgah 451, Pisgah	1.75	5.25	2.45	5.25
Olive & Oak 455, Agency	9.75	29.25	13.65	29.25
Unsona 458, Burr Oak	3.50	10.50	4.90	10.50
Audubon 459, Audubon	22.25	66.75	31.50	67.50
Grumme 460, Liscomb	17.50	52.50	23.45	50.25
Excelsior 470, Prairie City	13. 25	39.75	19.95	42.75
Renwick 473, Renwick	4.75	14.25	6.65	14.25
Sunflower 476, Solon	5.00	15.00	7.00	15.00
Griswold 480, Griswold	14.25	42.75	18.90	40.50
Nora Springs 483, Nora Springs	16.75	50.25	23.10	49.50
Ember 486, Rodney	6.50	19.50	9.10	19.50
Madrid 487, Madrid	20.25	60.75	30.45	65.25
Ideal 493, Ankeny	9.25	27.75	12.60	27.00
Cedar 494, Cedar Rapids	11.50	34.50	15.05	32.25
Mount Auburn 495, Mt. Auburn	12.50	37.50	16.10	34.50
Marietta 501, Clarion	36.25	108.75	51.10	109.50
Milo 504, Milo	6.00	10.50	4.90	10.50
Nashua 505, Nashua	21.25	63.75	29.40	63.00
Troy Union 510, Troy	9.25	27.75	12.95	27.75
West Bend 511, West Bend	8.75	26.25	11.90	25.50
Grand Mound 513, Grand Mound	6.25	11.25	6.25	10.50
Walter 516, Wilton Junction			2.10	4.50
Helping Hand 517, Tipton	21.25	63.75	29.05	62.25
New York 518, Millerton		2.00 Char	ter Surre	
Maple 519, Greeley	3.50	10.50	4.90	10.50
Magdalene 520, Mount Ayr	22.25	66.75	31.50	67.50
Benton 523, Benton	4.00	12.00	5.60	12.00
Rose Hill 527, Rose Hill	2.75	8.25	3.85	8.25
Valentine 528, Kellerton	12.00	36.00	16.45	35.25
Clarksville 533, Clarksville	20.50	61.50	29.05	62.25
Silver Link 536, Fonda	10.75	28.50	14.30	27.75
Ellston 540, Ellston	5.50	16.50	7.00	15.00
Winona 545, Lovilia	7.00	21.00	9.80	21.00
Menlo 547, Menlo	11.75	35.25	15.75	33.75
Woodland 552, Glenwood	24.50	73.50	38.05	75.75
Beaman 554, Beaman	10.50	31.50	14.00	
Deaman 334, Deaman	10.50	31.30	14.00	30.00

\$6,776.20

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Centennial 556, Villisca	9.00	27.00	12.25	26.25
Pacific 557, Sioux City	25.00	75.00	34.65	74.25
Dorcas 564, Hudson	8.50	25.50	11.90	25.50
Maple River 565, Galva	14.75	44.25	21.00	45.00
Bethany 566, Corydon	20.75	62.25	30.80	66.00
Celia 570, Blakesburg	11.00	33.00	15.40	33.00
Alpha 572, Des Moines	23.00	69.00	46.20	99.00
Golden Palace 578, New Hampton	6.25	18.75	8.75	18.75
Oak Leaf 580, Casey	10.50	31.50	15.40	33.00
Larrabee 590, Larrabee	3.50	10.50	4.90	10.50
Hukill 594, Lone Tree	21.00	63.00	29.75	63.75
Delhi 595, Delhi	3.00	9.00	4.20	9.00
Busy Bee 598, Havelock	3.25	9.75	4.55	9.75
Salina 599, Salina	7.75	23.25	11.90	25.50
Iola 600, Minden	2.50	7.50	3.15	6.75

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SECRETARY

The financial report of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa, receipts and disbursements in all funds for the fiscal year commencing August 1, 1970 and ending July 31, 1971.

GENERAL FUND

Balance — August 1, 1970

Cards

RECEIPTS		
Per Capita Tax		
January collections (Inc. Del.)	\$4,452.60	
July collections	6,075.92	\$10,528.52
Home Maintenance Tax		
January collections (Inc. Del.)	13,233.75	
July Collections	12,986.25	\$26,220.00
Sov. Grand Lodge Tax		
January collections		4,394.50
July Collections (1st half of 1972 tax)		4,328.75
Interest		651.24
Educational Fund		487.51
World Eye Bank		168.92
Theta Rho Fund		262.00
State Lodge Dues		499.95
State Lodge Transfers		29.00
Theta Rho Per Capita Tax		18.95
Rose Bowl Float Fund		23 .00
March in Dime Time		51.60
Refund from Grand Lodge for Youth meeting		15.23
Sale of Supplies		
Books of Ceremonies	\$601.02	
Charge Books	136.70	
Secretary's Report Books	151.13	
Keys & Petitions	43.93	

Official Certificates Secretary & Treasurers orders Pins (P.N.G., Members & Theta Rho) Jewels Members & Officers Regalia Music Books Seals, Memorials, Drills & etc. Jewelry	61.04 42.28 310.96 394.02 12.08 45.93 38.00	
Journals	58.94	
Delinquent Notices Theta Rho Supplies	3.62 3.40	
Total supplies sold	J. 1 0	\$1,945.98
Total receipts as remitted to the Treasurer		\$49,625.15
Transferred from Savings to checking account		5,000.00
Total receipts and balance of General Fund		61,401.35
DISBURSEMENTS		
President's Expense		
Salary less F.I.C.A.		\$ 569.80
Travel Office expense		600.00 100.00
Postage		151.63
Vice President		
Allowance		50.00
Secretary Salary and Evnance loss E.I.C.A. & W.H.		1,650.70
Salary and Expense less F.I.C.A. & W.H. Rent		200.00
Telephone		133.16
Postage		261.79
Supplies		116.57
Travel for Journal and Secretary meetings Treasurer		75.00
Allowance		50.00
Rent		100.00
Home Maintenance Tax		26,220.00
Sovereign Grand Lodge Tax		4,394.50
World Eye Bank		168.92
Educational Fund Supplies for resale		486.51 1,083.80
Printing		3,401.16
Youth Committee		40.00
U.N. Committee		30.40
Hawkeye Odd Fellow Internal Revenue, F.I.C.A. & W.H.		311.00
Secretary for expense at I.A.R.A.		285.60 149.80
I.A.R.A. Tax		105.00
Miscellaneous		276.68
4 State Conclave		40.00
State Lodge dues refund Rose Bowl Float Fund		5.40 27.00
Assembly Session		27.00
Officers, P. Presidents & Committees		1,733.40
New Delegates		1,509.36

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Hold Over Delegates Executive Committee Total Disbursements August 1, 1971 balance	e			1,953.28 108.04 \$46,388.50 \$15,012.85
	HOME F	UND		
August 1, 1970 balance				\$9,832.56
	RECEII	PTS		
Presidents Collections				7,422.61
Interest				256.54
Total receipts remi				\$7,679.15
Total receipts and b	oalance Home I	Fund		17,511.71
	DISBURSE	MENTS		
Advisory Board Expens	se			157.20
General Supplies				1,214.91
Repairs				59.64
Insurance			100.00	
Hospital Supplies			468.29	
Furniture Progridents Traveling Emblem				771.71
Presidents Traveling Emblem				50.00
Transferred to Savings				5,000.00
Total disbursement				7,821.75
Balance August 1, 1	1971			9,689.96
REMITTED TO TREASURER ALL FUNDS				
Date	Description	Check No.	General	Home
1970				
Aug. & Sept.	General	1	219.40	
Aug. & Sept.	Home	2		41.19
Oct.	General	3	108.41	405.40
Oct.	Home	4	54.44	465.16
Nov.	General	5	54.44	471 40
Nov.	Home General	6 7	541.34	471.46
Dec.	Home	8	341.34	<i>C</i> 00 11
Dec. 1971	Tionie	0		698.11
Jan.	General	9	19,304.02	
Jan.	Home	10		294.13
Feb.	General	11	3,255.74	
Feb.	Home	12		903.13
Mar.	General	13	846.73	

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July	Home	23	1,034.34	
Totals August 1, 1970 to August Total amount deposited Total amount remitted August 1, 1971 no bala	l in all funds to Treasurer	\$49,625.15 nt	\$7,679.15 \$57,304.30 57,304.30	
ANALYSIS OF	SPECIAL FUNDS I	N GENERAL FU	ND	
Grand	Lodge Home Mainte Receipts	nance Fund		
January — Grand Lodg July — Grand Lodge H	ge Home Maintenanc	e	\$13,233.75 12,986.25	
Total receipts			\$26,220.00	
	Disbursements			
Mar. 1, 1971 — Berle St			13,068.00	
Mar. 31, 1971 — Berle S July 28, 1971 — Berle S			165.75 12,986.25	
Total disbursement August 1, 1971 No bal	cs.		\$26,220.00	
	Theta Rho Fund	i		
August 1, 1970 Balance 1970-1971 Received from			\$1,519.71 262.00	
Total receipts and No disbursements August 1, 1971 balance			\$1,781.71 \$1,781.71	
Educational Foundation Fund August 1, 1970 no balance				
Received from Preside	Receipts		¢407.51	
neceived from Freside	Disbursements		\$487.51	
Ethel Kelley, Executive August 1, 1971 balance			\$486.51 \$1.00	
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August 1, 1970 no balan		k		
Donations from Eye Ba	Receipts ank Chr. & President Disbursements		\$168.92	
Margaret Watts, World August 1, 1971 no bala	Eye Bank Chr.		\$168.92	
Sovereign Grand Lodge Tax August 1, 1970 no balance				
	Receipts			
January July — 1st half of 1972 (tax		\$4,394.50 \$4,328.75	

REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	89
Total	\$8,723.25
Disbursements	.
A. Ford Winters Sov. Grand Secretary August 1, 1971 Balance	\$4,394.50 4,328.75
Rose Bowl Float Fund August 1, 1970 balance on hand	12.00
Receipts Collections	23.00
Total collections and balance	\$35.00
Rose Float Committee Disbursements	17.00
Berle Starr, to be sent with Grand Lodge Coll.	10.00
	27.00
August 1, 1971 Balance on hand	8.00
SUMMARY OF ALL FUNDS	
General Fund	\$13,740.47
Grand Lodge Home Maintenance	26,220.00
Theta Rho Fund	262.00
Education Fund	487.51
World Eye Bank Savaraign Crand Lodge Toy	168.92
Sovereign Grand Lodge Tax Rose Bowl Float Fund	8,723.25 23.00
Home Fund	7,679.15
Total receipts in all funds	\$57,304.30
DISBURSEMENTS	
General Fund	\$15,091.57
Home Maintenance Tax	26,220.00
Sovereign Grand Lodge Tax	4,394.50
World Eye Bank Educational Fund	168.92 486.51
Rose Bowl Fund	27.00
Home Fund	7,821.75
Total disbursements	\$54,210.25
August 1, 1970 balance on hand as per report	16,608.76
August 1, 1971 receipts as per fiscal year	57,304.30
Transferred from Savings to General Fund	5,000.00
Total receipts and balance all funds Total disbursements	\$78,913.06
August 1, 1971 Cash on hands all funds	54,210.25 24,702.81
Balance General Fund	15,012.85
Ralance Home Fund	0 680 06

Balance Home Fund

15,012.85 9,689.96

CAPITAL ASSETS General Fund

General I and	
Savings account at Home Federal Savings & Loan	\$ 8,000.00
Time Certificate, Comm. Nat'l Bank, Knoxville	5,000.00
Home Fund	
Time Certificate, Bank in Knoxville	1,000.00
Time Certificate	5,000.00
Savings account United Federal Savings & Loan	9,081.66
Savings account United Federal Savings & Loan	7,117.47
Total Assets, Savings and Time Certificates	\$35,199.13
Checking account	24,702.81
Grand total	\$59,901.94

VISITATIONS

It was my pleasure to attend the Grand Masters, Assembly Presidents and Assembly Wardens receptions, also I have attended several conventions this year and a few Harvest Home gatherings, I received many invitations which I was unable to attend due to the work of the office which has been very heavy and I feel that the office comes first.

We did hold four Secretarys meetings over the State and they were well attended and I truly am grateful for the privilege of becoming better acquainted with my Secretaries over the State.

NECROLOGY

The year just closed has brought sadness and heartache to many of our members in the loss of a loved one.

Sympathy cards have been sent to seven families of Officers and Past Officers of all branches in the loss of a loved one and to all who mourn we extend our sincere sympathy.

Our circle of Past Presidents was broken this year when Sister Vira Reynolds left us and went to her Eternal rest on July 24, 1971. Sister Vira had many friends and because of her jovial disposition and her kindness to everyone she will be greatly missed.

We know not now, but in coming years

With vision broadened, we shall understand

Why a Past President must part, why hearts must mourn

And leave the broken chain of Friendships band.

Our Grand Lodge lost one of their Past Grand Master, Brother Harry Larson who went to the Grand Lodge above in September of last year, we extend to his wife, Lillian and the children our deepest sympathy.

INVENTORY OF SUPPLIES

4 - P.N.G. Bow pins	\$ 4.00
5 - P.N.G. Jewels	72.50
12 - P.N.G. Pins (large)	55.20
10 - P.N.G. Pins (small)	37.50
12 - P.N.G. Pins with gavel	63.00

7 - P.N.G. chain and gavel	8.75
25 - Keys	25.00
1 - Pads of petitions	1.25
11 - P.N.G. Chain regalia	99.00
4 - Members Cord regalia	10.80
3 - Members Chain regalia	19.50
2 - Color Bearer Regalia	17.00
8 - Members pins (large)	32.00
4 - Opening and closing ceremonies	5.00
5 - Delinquent Notices	6.25
50 - Ode Cards	7.50
6 - Treasures Orders	6.00
20 - Secretary Orders	20.00
14 - Charge Books	28.00
7 - Official Receipts	23.45
6 - Music Books	15.00
180 - Report Books	1,350.00
3 - Theta Rho Past President pins	13.50
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Total Amount of supplies \$1,920.20 Plus Cards, Playlets, Memorials, Degree work, Drills, Information for Desk Officers and many other ceremonies.

EXECUTIVE BOARD

On May 7, 1971 the Executive Board met at the Grand Secretary's office in Des Moines with everyone present. The meeting was for selecting of new stationary heading, of the legislation changes that were to be made and discussing ways of cutting down on the journal for this year. Several other details were taken care of at this meeting.

CONCLUSION

Again an Assembly year has closed and it is time to write the final chapter of my second year as your Secretary and again may I say thank you for all the courtesies extended to me and the lovely little notes sent during the year, they are greatly appreciated.

I wish to thank the Rebekahs of Iowa for electing me to serve you for the coming year and pledge to you and all Grand Bodies my continued cooperation.

It has been a great pleasure to work with you, Sister Elizabeth as our leader this year, my only regret is that I could not travel with you as I had planned. You have worked hard and have proven to the Rebekahs of Iowa that you were ACTUALLY, INTERESTED FRATERNALLY in our great Order.

To all other elective Officers, Appointive Officers and Committees it has been a privilege of mine to have such fine officers to work with and to Sister Lylas, our incoming President I am looking forward to working with you this coming year and I am just as close as your telephone.

My grateful thanks to Brother Berle, for all the kindness and advise given to me, you are never too busy to stop and talk and help me out of

some of the difficulties that arise.

To my fine and efficient Secretaries I am grateful for your help and hope I may meet many more of you this spring at our Secretary meetings.

Give me strength, Oh God, for tasks today
New hopes to guide me on my way
New paths to fill my heart with zest
As I pursue life's noble quest
Give me new paths along life's winding stream
New courage for my days to be
Above all else continue faith in thee.



Sincerely and Fraternally Vivian Nelson Secretary Rebekah Assembly of Iowa

TREASURER'S REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly, Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Iowa:

In compliance with the requirements of the office of Treasurer of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa, I submit the following report of the financial condition of all funds in my possession.

The money of the Rebekah Assembly is deposited in the Community National Bank and Trust Company at Knoxville, Iowa. We have two checking accounts, a general fund and a home fund. Both accounts are insured up to \$20,000. We have two savings accounts at the United Federal Savings and Loan Company of Des Moines, Iowa. One savings account at the Home Federal Savings and Loan in Des Moines, Iowa. The interest on the general fund is paid quarterly and placed in the general fund checking account. The interest on the Home Fund accounts is paid quarterly and left in the account to accumulate. The present home fund accounts now stand at \$9,081.66 and \$7,117.47. We have three time certificates. One on general fund and two on home fund.

We have the Past Treasurer's jewel of the late Alta Woodside. The old style officers jewels, two new marshall and conductor jewels. All are kept in the lock box at the Community National Bank and Trust Company of Knoxville, Iowa. Said box furnished without cost to the assembly.

In a metal box in my office, I have three flags, the American flag, Iowa Flag and Canadian Flag. Each has a standard and staff. One large white bible, receipt books, one wand, two velvet jewel carriers, numbered tags, two check books, and other books and papers used in this office.

The following account is the receipts and disbursements from August 1, 1970 to August 1, 1971.

GENERAL FUND (Receipts)

Balance on hand August 1, 1970	\$ 6,776.20
Rebekah Per capita tax	10,528.52
Theta Rho per capita tax	18.95
Grand Lodge Home tax	26,220.00
Sovereign Grand Lodge tax	8,723.25
Interest	651.24
Sale of supplies	1,945.98

Theta Rho Recreation fund	262.00
Educational Foundation Fund	487.51
Eye Bank Project	168.92
State Lodge Dues	499.95
Transfer from State lodge	29.00
Rose Bowl Parade project	23.00
March of Dime time	51.60
Miscellaneous	15.23
Transfer of savings account to general fund	5,000.00
Total receipts and balance	\$61,401.35
GENERAL FUND	
(Disbursements)	
President's salary	\$ 569.80
Travel and office expense	700.00
Secretary's salary	1,650.70
Office rent, travel journal, telephone & supples	524.73
Vice Pres. & Treasurer allowance	200.00
Youth Committee expense	40.00
Postage	430.33
Social security and withholding tax	285.60
I.A.R.A. per capita tax	105.00
Secretary expense to I.A.R.A.	149.80
Four State Conclave expense	40.00
Counting votes	8.00
Printing	3,401.16
Supplies for resale	1,083.80
Miscellaneous expense	235.97
Executive Board meetings	108.04
Home Maintenance tax	26,220.00
Educational Foundation Fund	486.51
Eye Bank Project	168.92
Sovereign Grand Lodge tax	4,394.50
Rose Bowl Float	27.00
March of Dime Time	51.60
Hawkeye Subscriptions	311.00
Expense of Officers, Past President's, committee, Board	
members	1,733.40
Expense of Hold over delegates	1,953.28
Expense of New delegates	1,509.36

GENERAL FUND RECEIPTS (itemized)

\$46,388.50

Total disbursements

1970	
August 1 Balance in General fund	\$6,776.20
August 1 Balance in Theta Rho Recreational fund	\$1,519.71
August 1 Balance in Rose Bowl Float fund	12.00

REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA

Date 1970 Sept.	Secy No.	Tre No		Amount
28 Oct.			Transferred from Savings acct	5,000.00
3	1	1	Per capita tax\$ 6.65Theta Rho tax2.35Interest125.00Sale supplies42.65Grand Lodge Home tax14.25Eye Bank project22.50State Lodge dues5.00Transfer State Lodge1.00	219.40
Nov.				
5	3	2	Sale of supplies89.25Theta Rho Recreation fund1.00Eye Bank project8.16State Lodge dues5.00Rose Bowl float5.00	108.41
Dec.				
2	5	3	Sale of supplies	54.44
1971				
Jan. 7	7	4	Per Capita tax80.75Sale of supplies110.59Grand Lodge Home tax242.25State Lodge dues20.00Sovereign Grand Lodge tax80.75Transfer state lodge2.00Rose Bowl float5.00	541.34
Feb.	0	_	D C '4 4	
3	9	5	Per Capita tax 3,776.90 Theta Rho tax 7.80 Interest 200.00 Sale of supplies 242.82 Grand Lodge Home tax 11,247.00 Sovereign Grand Lodge tax 3,747.00 State Lodge dues 82.50	19,304.02
Mar.				
3	11	6	Per Capita tax 526.80 Theta Rho tax 1.85 Interest 125.00 Sale of supplies 386.64 Grand Lodge Home tax 1,564.50 Eye Bank project 32.65 State Lodge dues 75.00 Transfer State Lodge 3.00	

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			Sovereign Grand Lodge tax521.50	
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			March Dime time 18.80	3,255.74
Apr.				
3	13	7	Per Capita tax 61.50	
			Sale of supplies	
			Miscellaneous 15.23	
			Grand Lodge Home tax165.75	
			Sovereign Grand Lodge tax45.25	
			State Lodge dues	
			Transfer state lodge7.00	
			March Dime Time15.40	846.73
May				
3	15	8	Theta Rho tax	
			Interest	
			Sale of supplies	
			Eye Bank project 75.00	
			State Lodge dues 50.80	
			Transfer state lodge8.00	
			March dime time7.40	453.93
June	1.5	_		
3	17	9	Sale of supples	
			State Lodge dues 15.00	
			Transfer state lodge3.00	
			Rose Bowl float 5.00	178.91
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July	10	10	D 011-1	
3	19	10	Per Capita tax	
			Sale of supplies	
			Grand Lodge Home tax	
			Sovereign Grand Lodge tax21.00	
			Eye Bank project	
			State Lodge dues	
			Transfer State Lodge	412.10
			March Dime Time10.00	412.10
Tuly				
July 6	21	11	Educational Foundation Fund	486 51
July	21	11	Educational Foundation Fund	400.01
30 30	22	12	Per Capita tax6,046.52	
00			Theta Rho tax4.95	1
			Interest	
			Sale of supplies93.47	
			Grand Lodge Home tax 12,923.25	
			Educational Foundation fund 1.00	
			Theta Rho Recreational fund 261.00	
			Eye Bank project	
			Sovereign Grand Lodge tax 4,307.75	
			Rose Bowl Float8.00	23,763.62
				20,100.02

Total receipts and balance \$61,401.35

GENERAL FUND DISBURSEMENTS (itemized)

Date		heck	Amount
1970		No.	
Augu	st		
15	1	Marjorie Heft, Pres. travel 8-16 to 9-16	50.00
15	2	Marjorie Heft, Pres. salary 7-16 to 8-16	47.60
15	3	Vivian Nelson, Secy. salary 7-16 to 8-16	136.80
15	4	Clear Lake Telephone Co. Secy. phone	7.00
27	5	Vivian Nelson, Secy. postage	21.69
27	6	Hedrick Bros. Cleaning Mimeograph	42.59
27	7	Patterson Jewelry, Engraving Past Pres. Jewel	3.09
27	8	A. Ford Winters, S.G. Secy. supplies for resale	98.20
Sept.			
11	9	Marjorie Hefte, Pres. travel 9-15 to 10-15	50.00
11	10	Marjorie Hefte, Pres. salary 8-16 to 9-16	47.60
11	11	Vivian Nelson, Secy. salary 8-16 to 9-16	136.80
11	12	Vivian Nelson, Secy. expense to I.A.R.A.	149.80
11	13	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Vice Pres. allowance last half	25.00
11	14	Muriel Galvin, Treas. allowance last half	25.00
11	15	Muriel Galvin, Treas. last ½ office rent	50.00
11	16	Marjorie Hefte, Pres. last ¼ office expense	25.00
11	17	Vivian Nelson, Secy. last ½ office rent	100.00
11	18	Clear Lake Telephone Co. Secy phone	15.36
11	19	Marjorie Heft, Pres. Executive Board Meeting	15.60
11	20	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Vice Pres. Executive Board	
		Meeting	14.56
11	21	Muriel Galvin, Treas. Executive Board meeting	10.16
11	22	Lylas Haydon, Warden, Executive Board meeting	7.20
11	23	Vivian Nelson, Secy. Executive Board meeting	6.00
Oct.			
6	24	Clear Lake Telephone Co. Secy. phone	18.15
6	25	Yelland & Hanes, supplies for secy.	24.39
8	26	Marjorie Hefte, Pres. salary 9-15 to 10-16	47.60
		Checks 27 through 168 listed in Assembly expense	
9	169	LeNora Schuknecht, P.P. Courtesy Committee	91.03
9	170	Edna Ward, supplies for outside stenographer	10.30
9	171	Maxwell Tribune, printing	179.97
9	172	I.O.O.F. Home, printing reports	8.75
9	173	Vivian Nelson, Secy. Gratuties	11.50
9	174	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. travel 10-16 to 11-16	50.00
9	175	Vivian Nelson, Secy. salary 9-16 to 10-16	136.80
19	176	Director of Internal Revenue, S.S. & WH	72.00
19	177	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Allowance on year books	150.00
Nov.			
2	178	Dorothy Smith, Chairman Board Instruction, postage	e 16.91
2	179	Clear Lake Telephone Co. secy phone	8.08
9	180	Hedrick Brothers, Secy supplies	4.91
13	181	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. travel 11-16 to 12-16	50.00

Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. travel 3-16 to 4-16

Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. salary 2-16 to 3-16

Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. postage

Vivian Nelson, Secy. salary 2-16 to 3-16

Yellan & Hanes, supplies for secretary

50.00

47.40

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Apr.

Apr.			
5	228	Berle J. Starr, Grand Secy. Grand Lodge Home tax	165.75
5	229	Muriel Galvin, Treas. first half office rent	50.00
5	230	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. 2nd quarter office expense	25.00
5	231	Muriel Galvin, Treas. first ½ allowance	25.00
5	232	Lylas Haydon, Vice Pres. first 12 allowance	25.00
5	233	Vivian Nelson, Secy. first 12 office rent	100.00
5	234	Evelyn LeOrange, Secy. I.A.R.A. supplies for resale	38.40
5	235	Evelyn LeOrange, Secy. I.A.R.A. per capita tax	105.00
9	236	Clear Lake Telephone Co, Secy phone	10.66
9	237	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. travel 4-16 to 5-16	50.00
9	238	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. salary 3-16 to 4-16	47.40
9	239	Vivian Nelson, Secy. salary 3-16 to 4-16	138.10
9	240	Maxwell Tribune, Printing	60.53
9	241	Director of Internal Revenue, S.S. & WH.	70.80
19	242	Vivian Nelson, Secy. postage	36.10
19	243	Marjorie Hefte, P.P. Four state conclave expense	20.00
19	244	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres, Four State Conclave	
		expense	20.00
26	245	Berle J. Starr, Grand Secy. Hawkeye Subscriptions	311.00
26	246	Maxwell Tribune, Printing	236.90
May			
May 4	247	Clear Lake Telephone Co. Secy. phone	12.83
4	248	Daphne Keanely, I.A.R.A. Pre. March Dime Time	41.60
4	249	Vivian Nelson, Secy. allowance for travel on journals	25.00
7	250	Vivian Nelson, Secy. anowance for traver on journals Vivian Nelson, Secy. postage	54.20
7	251	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. Executive Board meeting	14.56
7	252	Lylas Haydon, Vice Pres. Executive Board meeting	7.48
7	253	Maxine Hackbarth, Warden, Executive Board meeting	
7	254	Vivian Nelson, Secy. Executive Board meeting	15.76
7	255	Muriel Galvin, Treas. Executive Board meeting	9.92
7	256	A. Ford Winters, S.G. Secy. supplies for resale	258.25
7	257	Berle J. Starr, Grand Secy. ¹ 2 cost of wreath to tomb	10.40
7	258		2,463.42
14	259	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. travel 5-16 to 6-16	50.00
14	260	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. salary 4-16 to 5-16	47.40
14	261	Vivian Nelson, Secy. salary 4-16 to 5-16	138.10
29	262	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. postage	11.15
31	263	Vivian Nelson, Secy. expense for secretary meetings	50.00
31	264	Matie Moser, Refund on State dues	2.90
June	204	matic moser, iteratic on state dues	2.50
3	265	Clear Lake Telephone Co. Secy phone	9.06
3	266	Vivian Nelson, Secy. office supplies	2.88
3	267	Vivian Nelson, Secy. postage	35.71
12	268	Yellan & Hanes, supplies for secretary	23.33
12	269	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. travel 6-16 to 7-16	50.00
12	270	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. salary 5-16 to 6-16	47.40
12	271	Vivian Nelson, Secy. salary 5-15 to 6-16	138.10
July			
8	272	A. Ford Winters, S.G. Secy. supplies for resale	138.50
8	273	Margaret Watts, Secy. Eye Bank	168.92
8	274	Berle J. Starr, Grand Seey. Rose Bowl float	10.00

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8	275	Director Internal Revenue, S.S. & WH.	70.80
8	276	Clear Lake Telephone Co. Secy phone	9.93
8	277	Daphne Kenealy, Pres. I.A.R.A. March Dime time	10.00
8	278	Ethel Kelly, Secy. Educational Foundation Fund	486.51
12	279	Vivian Nelson, Secy. postage	16.52
12	280	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. travel 7-16 to 8-16	50.00
12	281	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. salary 6-16 to 7-16	47.40
12	282	Vivian Nelson, Secy. salary 6-16 to 7-16	138.10
12	283	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. postage	8.00
12	284	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. 3rd quarter office expense	25.00
12	285	Mary Shaffer, counting votes	4.00
12	286	Irene Bogham, counting votes	4.00
12	287	Lulu Braum, refund on state lodge dues	2.50
28	288	Berle J. Starr, Grand Secy. Grand Lodge Home tax 12	,986.25

Total Disbursements

\$46,388.50

ASSEMBLY EXPENSE Des Moines, Iowa 1970

	Des Moines, Iowa 1970
	ber 9, 1970
Chec	k
No.	Name Amount
27	Marjorie Heft, President\$45.04
28	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Vice President
29	Lylas Haydon, Warden 24.64
3 0	Vivian Nelson, Secretary 45.44
31	Muriel Galvin, Treasurer
3 2	Alice Bricker, Marshall24.00
33	Doris Horner, Conductor33.92
34	Lola Eisenman, Chaplain 33.04
35	Maxine Hackbarth, Inside Guardian 24.00
3 6	Pearl Godfrey, Outside Guardian 40.72
37	Eddis Allen, Musician 25.52
38	Esther McKean, Messenger36.88
39	Helen Milburn, Inside Stenographer 30.80
40	Edna Ward, Outside Stenographer 38.72
41	Doris Cuvelier, Color Bearer32.96
42	Dorothy Smith, Chariman Board Instruction 34.00
43	Lois DeBee, Member Board Instruction
44	Irene Horner, Member Board Instruction 18.00
45	Maxine Watson, Chairman Credential Committee 34.64
46	Emma Frances, Member Credential Committee 39.04
47	Georgia Walker, Chairman Finance Committee 44.48
48	Helen Kenworthy, Member Finance Committee 36.48
49	Gladys Harsh, Member Finance Committee 44.16
50	Henrietta Seabrook, Member Finance Committee 44.88
51	Audry Dewey, Chairman Milage & Expense
52	Goldie Dodge, Chairman Election Returns Committee 34.48
53	Marie Huffman, Chairman Memorial Committee 33.36
54	Ruth Clark, Chairman Legislation Committee30.00
55	Nellie Muhm, Chairman Community Service
56	Berniece Westcott, Member Youth Committee 32.80

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57	Esthe	er Hick, Past President	30.64		
58		Atkinson, Past President			
59		Schaller, Past President			
60		Reynolds, Past President			
61	Leona Lindamen, Past President 40.80				
62	Hallie Posnecker, Past President 30.00				
63		e Stokka, Past President			
64		e Shanda, Past President			
65		se Allen, Past President			
66		na Wymore, Past President			
67 68		Nelson, Past President			
69	Irono	Schulz, Past President	36.00		
70		Steinick, Past President			
71		re Schuknecht, Past President			
72		Calhoun, Past President			
73		ley Lubberden, Past President			
74	Marg	aret McCoy, Past President	31.52		
75		da Peterson, Past President			
76		l Lyons, Past President			
77	Fran	ces Simpson, Past President	33.36		
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No. 78 79 80 81 82	Dist 1 3 5 7 9	rict Name An Ina Shaffer \$ Ida Belle Hofer Helen Hansen Helen Pearson Luella Howe	34.00 44.48 36.08 37.92 38.96		
No. 78 79 80 81 82 83	Dist 1 3 5 7 9 11	rict Name An Ina Shaffer \$ Ida Belle Hofer \$ Helen Hansen \$ Helen Pearson \$ Luella Howe \$ Lucille Cave	34.00 44.48 36.08 37.92 38.96 41.60		
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102	53	Bertha Stimpson
103	55	Linnea Hiserodt
104	57	Gladys Holets
105	57	La Von Timms
106	5 9	Dorothy M. Swanson34.24
107	61	Dolpha Mangham31.68
108	63	Louise Galvin
109	65	Edith Clark41.68
110	67	Crystal Van Anken 41.60
111	69	Fern Miller 39.04
112	71	Fern Beers
113	73	Nea Cooper
114	75	Helen Higgenbottom
115	77	Emma Franklin
116	77	Adeline Green
117	77	Olive Keefer
118	79	Grace Taylor 34.64
119 120	81 83	Lulu Stock 39.12 Doris Nielson 37.20
120	85	Adah Manley
121	87	Fonta Campain
123	89	June McClure
123	91	Mildred Gamble
125	93	Inez Sager
126	95	Gene Gesme
127	97	Lelia Niebaum
128	99	Marjorie Trees
		Total\$1,953.28
		NEW DELEGATES
Chec		
No.		trict Name Amount
129	4	Leafia Kincaid\$ 37.84
130	6 8	Kathleen Nettell 39.28
131 132	10	Jennie Sarver 31.60
133	117	Wanda Coulter 40.79
134		Wanda Coulter40.72 Dorothy Garner
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148	44	Risbie Reese 4	11.52
149	46	Dollie Nielson	
150	48	Stella Wartenburg	
151	50	Mabel Nolin	
152 153	52 54	Mabel Kral	
153	54 56	Grace Sanderson	
155	58	Ruth Mangels	
156	62	Virgie Phillips	
157	64	Lavona Hatten	
158	68	Mabel Johnson 3	
159	70 76	Orpha Zaticek Jennie Walters 4	
160 161	78	Gladys Reed	
162	80	Farnola Virden	
163	82	Edna Holst	
164	86	Pauline Manfield 3	36.72
165	88	Luella Kingery 3	
166	90	Ida Miller 3	
167 168	92 94	Mae Marek	
100	94		_
		Total\$1,50	09.36
		HOME FUND (Receipts)	
Presi	dent's	hand August 1, 1970	98.17
,	otal r	receipts and balance \$17,51	11.71
		Disbursements	
Advi	sory B	Board expense \$ 15	57.20
Gene	ral su	pplies	33.57
Repa	irs		59.64
		t	
		com checking account to Savings 5,00	
7	Cotal d	lisbursements \$7,82	21.75
Bala	cne on	n hand August 1, 1971	89.96
		Receipts	
		(itemized)	
Date		Secy Treas.	
1970		No. No.	20 50
Aug.	1	Balance on hand \$9,83	32.56

Oct.	3	2	1	President's collection 41.19
Nov.	. 7	4	2	President's collections 465.16
Dec.	. 3	6	3	President's collections \$446.46
1971				Interest 25.00 471.46
Jan.		8	4	President's collections 698.11
Feb.	3	10	5	President's collections242.46
				Interest 51.67 294.13
Mar	. 4	12	6	President's collections 903.13
Apr.	5	14	7	President's collections 1,026.24
May		16	8	President's collections 713.86
June	3	18	9	President's collections613.35
	r			Interest 28.75 642.10
July	2	20	10	President's collections
July	28	23	11	President's collections 958.78
				Interest 75.56 1,034.34
				Total receipts and balance \$17,511.71
			НО	ME FUND DISBURSEMENTS
				(itemized)
Date	e Che	ck No) .	Amount
1970				
Augu	ust			
5	1	Berl	le J. S	tarr, Grand Secy. Insurance \$ 100.00
5	2	Tem	po's,	supplies
5	3			upplies
5	4	Wic	k's Ph	armacy, supplies 6.16
5	5	Iow	a State	e Industries, Equipment13.07
5	6	Lan	g Dist	ributing, supplies 60.46
5	7	Fra	nces S	impson, P.P. advisory board expense9.00
5	8	Haz	el Lyo	ns, P.P. advisory board expense 21.40
5	9	Lucile Shanda, P.P. advisory board expense 19.00		
Sept	ember	•		
10	10	Tem	po's,	supplies 5.38
10	11	Edw	ard D	Oon Co. supplies 29.82
10	12	Lan	g Dist	ributing Co. supplies
Octo	ber			
28	13			deral Savings & Loan Co. Time
		C	Certific	eate 5,000.00
9	14	Edw	ard D	on Co. supplies 6.52
9	15	Curi	ries, r	epairs 34.50
28	16			buck Co. equipment 20.59
28	17			upplies42.61
28	18			supplies
28	19			o. supplies
28	20		_	Hefte, P.P. advisory board expense 8.40
20		Frances Simpson, P.P. advisory board expense 15.60		
28	21	Fra	nces S	impson, P.P. advis <u>ory board expense 15.60</u>
	21 22			
28		Luc	ile Sha	anda, P.P. advisory board expense 16.00
28 28	22	Luc Lan	ile Sha g Dist	anda, P.P. advisory board expense 16.00 ributing Co. supplies
28 28 28 28	22 23	Luc Lan Iow	ile Sha g Dist	anda, P.P. advisory board expense 16.00

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21	25	Spence-McCord, equipment			
	26	Lintex Corporation, supplies			
	27	Elizabeth Seitsinger, Pres. Traveling emblem 50.00			
1971 Janua	rv				
	28	Lang Distributing Co. supplies			
Febru					
	29	Iowa State Industries, equipment			
	30	Curries, repairs			
12 April	31	Bailey's Floor Covering, supplies 229.94			
_	32	Marjorie Hefte, P.P. advisory board expense 8.40			
	33	Lucile Shanda, P.P. advisory board expense 19.00			
_	34	Richard Porter, Supt. Therapy equipment 50.00			
	35	Lang Distributing Co. supplies90.80			
	36	Tempo's, supplies			
	37 38	Spence-McCord, supplies			
May	0 0	Thompson-Hay ward Co. supplies			
•	39	Anthony's, supplies			
_	40	Spence-McCord, supplies 26.78			
	41	Frances Simpson, P.P. advisory board expense 15.60			
	42 43	Marjorie Hefte, P.P. advisory board expense 8.80 Lucile Shanda, P.P. advisory board expense 16.00			
	44	Tempo's supplies			
31 46 Lucile Shanda, P.P. supplies					
June					
	47	Curries, repairs 9.74 Lang Distributing Co. supplies 109.71			
22	48	Lang Distributing Co. supplies			
		Total disbursements			
		EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION FUND (Receipts			
Date	Sec				
1971	No.				
July July 3		21 11 President's collections			
		Total receipts			
1071	Char	Disbursements ek No.			
1971 July	-	Ethel Kelly, Secy			
		Balance on hand Aug. 1, 1971 \$ 1.00			
		THETA RHO RECREATIONAL FUND (Receipts)			
Date	Sec	y. Treas.			

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Aug. 1 Nov. 5 3	2	Balance on hand
July 30 22	12	President's collections 261.00
		Total receipts and balance1,781.71
		No disbursements
August 1, 1971	Bala	ance on hand \$1,781.71
,	-	EYE BANK PROJECT (Receipts)
Date Secy. 1970 No.	Treas No.	
Oct. 3 1 Nov. 5 3	1 2	Received from secretary \$ 22.50 Received from secretary 8.16
Mar. 3 11 May 3 15 July 3 19	6 8 10	Received from secretary
July 30 22	12	Received from secretary 17.06
		Total receipts
D-4 CL 1	NY	Disbursements
Date Check	NO.	
July 8 273 August 1, 1971		garet Watts, Secy
		ROSE BOWL FLOAT (Receipts)
Date Secy. 1970 No.	Treas No.	
August 1 Nov. 5 3	2	Balance on hand \$ 12.00 Received from secretary 5.00
Jan. 7 7	4	Received from secretary 5.00
June 3 17 July 30 22	9 12	Received from secretary
		Total receipts and balance 35.00
Date Check	κ No.	Disbursements
1970 Dec. 12 194	Ros	e Bowl Float Committee \$ 17.00
1971 July 8 274	Ber	le J. Starr, Grand Secy

	REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA 107	
August 1, 1971	Total disbursements \$27.00 Balance on hand \$8.00	
	MARCH DIME TIME (Receipts)	
Date Secy. 1971 No. Mar. 3 11 Apr. 3 13 May 3 15 July 3 19	Treas. No. 6 Received from secretary	
	Total receipts	
Date Check N	Disbursements	
1971 May 4 248	Daphne Keanely, I.A.R.A. Pres \$41.60	
July 8 277	Daphne Keanely, I.A.R.A. Pres	
	Total disbursements 51.60	
August 1, 1971	No balance.	
GRA	ND LODGE HOME MAINTENANCE TAX (Receipts)	
Date Secy.	Treas.	
Oct. 3 1	1 July tax	
1971 Jan. 7 7 Feb. 3 9 Mar. 3 11	4 January tax 242.25 5 January tax 11,247.00 6 January tax 1,564.50 7 January tax 165.75	
Apr. 3 13 July 3 19 July 30 22	10 July tax	
July 30	Total receipts	
	Disbursements	
Date Check N 1971	To.	
Mar. 4 217 Apr. 5 228 July 28 288	Berle J. Starr, Grand Secy.\$13,068.00Berle J. Starr, Grand Secy.165.75Berle J. Starr, Grand Secy.12,986.25	
	Total disbursements\$26,220.00	
August 1, 1971 No balance.		

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SOVEREIGN GRAND LODGE TAX (Receipts)

Date 1971 Jan. 7 Feb. 3 Mar. 3 Apr. 3 July 3 July 30	Secy. Tre No. No. 7 4 9 5 11 6 13 7 19 10 22 12			
f		Total receipts\$8,723.25		
		Disbursements		
Date Cl 1971	neck No.			
Mar. 13	219 A. F	Ford Winters, S.G. Secy \$4,394.50		
August 1, 1	.971	Balance on hand \$4,328.75		
		RECAPITULATION (General Fund)		
Balance on hand August 1, 1970 \$ 5,244.49 Balance in Theta Rho Recreational fund 1,519.71 Balance on Rose Bowl Parade fund 12.00 Receipts 54,625.15				
		\$61,401.35 cancelled checks\$46,388.50		
Bal	lance on har	nd August 1, 1971 \$15,012.85		
	Т	Cheta Rho Recreational fund		
	_	st 1, 1970 \$ 1,519.71 262.00		
No disburs	ements.	and balance \$ 1,781.71 st 1, 1971 \$1,781.71		
Dalance on	nana rugu	Rose Bowl Parade Fund		
		muse bowl ratage rung		
		st 1, 1970		
		and balance		
Balance on	hand Augus	st 1, 1971		

Educational Foundation Fund

Receipts
Balance on hand August 1, 1971 \$ 1.00
Sovereign Grand Lodge Tax
Receipts \$8,723.25 Disbursements 4,394.50
Balance on hand August 1, 1971 \$4,328.75
Home Fund
Balance on hand August 1, 1970 \$9,832.56 Receipts 7,679.15
Total receipts and balance
Balance on hand August 1, 1971 \$ 9,689.96
CAPITAL ASSETS General Fund
Savings Account at Home Federal Savings & Loan Des Moines, Ia. \$8,000.00 One Time Certificate 5,000.00
Home Fund
Savings account at the United Federal Savings & Loan, Des Moines, Ia. \$9,081.66 Savings account at the United Federal Savings & Loan, Des Moines, Ia. 7,117.47 One time certificate 1,000.00 One time certificate 5,000.00
Total savings \$35,199.13
Total Assets
Money in checking accounts\$ 24,702.81Time certificates\$11,000.00Savings accounts\$24,199.13
Grand Total \$ 59,901.94
CONCLUSION

As we close another chapter in our years work of Rebekah

Odd-fellowship, I wish to thank the members for the privilege of serving as your treasurer. I have had the pleasure of attending many lodges and conventions meetings this year, and I wish to thank you for the many courtesies extended to me. I especially enjoyed this year, as I had the pleasure of traveling on several occasions with our Assembly president, Sister Elizabeth. I have enjoyed working with all the officers, and sister Vivian I have enjoyed working with you. I pledge my support to you Sister Lylas, and I will always be ready to help in any way I can.

Friendship road is a wonderful road, Because it is filled with friends like you And in my heart I am thankful to-day Because I travelled down friendship's road with you.

> Sincerely and Fraternally Muriel Galvin, Treasurer Rebekah Assembly of Iowa

ADVISORY BOARD REPORT

TO THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF THE REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA:

The following is a summary of the meetings and work done by the Advisory Board during the 1970-1971 year, with Lucile Shanda as Chairman, Frances Simpson as Secretary, and Marjorie Hefte as the new member on the Board.

In accordance with the requirements of our Assembly Constitution, we held four meetings at the Home during the year. We called no special meetings although twice during the year it was necessary for the Chairman to consult by long distance phone with the other two members. This was much less expensive for the Assembly than calling special meetings would have been. Two of the four meetings were arranged to coincide with meetings of the Board of Trustees although one of them was cancelled.

We met Nov. 11th & 12th for our first meeting of the year and started by checking with our Superintendent the "Want" list submitted by each floor. As there was money remaining in the linen fund, we voted to use money from this fund for the needed sheets, pillow cases, and spreads. Other items needed included commodes, hospital gowns, blood pressure equipment, laundry cart and window shades (these to be fire proof). Items such as these mentioned have to be ordered from special places and we asked Mr. Porter to take care of this.

Then, our shopping began and we bought serving trays, sugar containers, dust mops, sauce dishes, soup bowls, standing ash trays (sand urns), tray carts, spatulas, fry pan, wash basins, bath tub mats, pie tins, and furniture caps. These articles cannot all be purchased in one place, so to procure them means going from place to place and requires a great deal of time.

Our business meeting was held in our rooms following supper on Nov. 11. We discussed work at hand, what we had to look forward to at future meetings, and decided that we would start taking inventory in the Administration Building the next morning. This is a lengthy process, but a necessary one for insurance purposes. However, by noon we had completed inventory of the basement and first floor.

The afternoon found us braving the rain and out shopping again; this time for shower curtains, window curtain fabric, rolling pin, shelving (for books) and plastic table cloths (the proper size is hard to find). Having completed all we could for this meeting, we made a last check with Porters to ascertain if all needs for our residents had been met as

near as possible and we left for our homes.

The meeting called for Feb. 22, 23, 24 proved to be "THE" meeting of the year. The Assembly President had been invited to attend this meeting and she and the Chairman went to Mason City late Sunday afternoon, Feb. 21, to be there to start work early the next morning with the other two board members, who would be coming in. Everything was lovely when we arose the morning of the 22, but by 8:15 we were in the midst of one of the worst snow storms of the winter. Frances called frantically from Boone to say she was advised off the hi-way. We heard nothing from Mari. Our Superintendent and wife, who were on their way home from a week of vacation, were also snow bound. Inventory was on the agenda so the two of us who were there worked at that. By noon, we waded knee-deep snow to the Old Folks Building for dinner and found the kitchen help short handed. We immediately stepped in to help, inexperienced as we were, and tried to lend a hand.

That afternoon we started inventory in the Old Folks Building. Supper time found us again working in the kitchen and later washing dishes. Even though we were not the best kitchen help, our intentions were the very best, and we felt we enjoyed an experience which was good for both of us.

The following day, with Sister Marj present, we continued and completed our inventory with the exception of the kitchen. It would be most inconvenient and difficult to do that during working hours so after discussing this with Mrs. Porter (they having managed some how to get through the snow) we decided to make that inventory at a later date and during the evening.

With the roads open on the 24th we shopped for plastic glasses, cups, sugar dispensers, paring knives, ladder, curtain material, rubber scrapers, etc. leaving Mr. Porter to order several items needed on the Hospital Floor. We felt this meeting was curtailed to some extent due to the weather and the cancellation by the Board of Trustees of their

meeting, our dates having been set so we could meet with them.

The May meeting of two days found us again going over the "want" list with the Porters, shopping for things we could find, and completing the inventory of the kitchen. With the diet kitchen and the regular kitchen now combined it was necessary to check everything very carefully. This was done in the evening with Mrs. Porter's excellent help and was finished in good time. It is our hope that the very complete inventory of our buildings made this year will ease the work of future boards.

The fourth and last meeting of the year was held August 26, 27, 28. It was set at this time so we could meet with the Trustees and followed much the same procedure as our previous meetings. The list of needed items was much longer than the list we had at the May meeting, so called for much more planning and shopping. Some of the things on the "want" list included elastic, plastic pails, foot bath tubs, bath mats, ice cream dipper, serving trays, tea pots, dish cloths, mop pail and

wringer, sauce dishes, platters, metal waste baskets, plastic table cloths, thread, garbage cans. These items are listed to give the members a better idea of the working of the Advisory Board, and a better idea of how, and for what, the money collected in the Home Fund is used. Things to be ordered from special supply houses included a shower chair, glass racks for the dish washer, tray card holders, and a medicine cart.

Mr. Porter had informed us at an earlier meeting that an Inspector for the State Board of Health had found fault with our hospital beds and that very likely we would need to consider replacing them in the future. This proved to be true, so after examining and considering our expenditures for the year, we decided to start replacement by ordering one dozen new, hand - operated hospital beds. This will be a costly movement, and it is our hope that with this start, eventually we can have all new beds and meet state requirements. As we met with our Board of Trustees the following morning, they were especially pleased to hear we had taken the initial step toward new beds for the hospital floor. Meeting with the Trustees is always educational and pleasant and we are thankful for this opportunity.

Serving on the Advisory Board is most rewarding; it is both a privilege and pleasure, as well as an education, and gives one that great feeling of being able to do something worth while — a feeling obtained in no way other than doing for your fellowman. Working with Dick and Dorothy is one of the very nice and very good things about working on the Advisory board — surely these fine folks deserve all good things in their lives for the good and happiness they give to others, especially our home residents. We are grateful to them. We thank you all for the opportunity of serving our residents and Rebekah

- OddFellowship in this capacity.

Fraternally,

Lucile Shanda, Chairman Frances Simpson, Secretary Marjorie Hefte, Member

JOINT YOUTH COMMITTEE REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge and Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

The annual meeting of the Joint Youth Committee was held at the office of the Grand Secretary on December 5, 1970. Present from the Rebekah Assembly were Elizabeth Seitsinger, President; Lylas Hayden, Vice President; and Maxine Hackbarth, Warden. Representing the Grand Lodge were Milo Robinson, Grandmaster; Arthur Marston, Deputy Grandmaster; Ronald Puhrmann, Warden; and Berle Starr, Grand Secretary. Committee members present were Charles Dewey, Hallie Posnecker, Robert Foster, Hazel Lyons, Milton Luft, and Marjorie Hefte.

Election of officers was held with Charles Dewey relected as Chairman. Hallie Posnecker, after serving for many years as chairman and then as co-chairman, declined the nomination as Co-Chairman and nominated Marjorie Hefte who was elected to succeed her. It is hoped that Sister Posnecker will feel able to resume her fine leadership in the near future. Hazel Lyons was elected Secretary.

Reports indicated 7 active Theta Rho Clubs and 3 Junior lodges at the present time. Several other clubs are still inactive due to lack of adult leadership. We are badly in need of Sisters and Brothers who are interested enough in our Youth program to give of their time and talents to work with these young people. It was voted to pick up the charter of Valley Theta Rho Club No. 34 of West Des Moines at their request. This was done on January 26th by the Grand Secretary Berle Starr and the Co-chairman of this committee.

While we have had several requests for information from lodges interested in starting a Theta Rho Club we have had no indication that any definite action has been taken.

Plans were made to resume Camp Halada if at all possible at Springbrook Park near Guthrie Center August 8 to 12th with Hallie Posnecker serving as Camp Director. The need for adult help was discussed and it was agreed that each group attending must have an adult counselor accompanying them capable of assisting with camp activities. Much discussion was also held concerning the possibility of opening camp registrations to sons and daughters of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs in communities where they do not have Theta Rho Clubs or Junior lodges. It was decided to place a notice in the Hawkeye Odd

Fellow requesting anyone interested to write Hazel Lyons, our secretary, for information. However practically no interest was shown.

Assignments were made for a committee member to pay a visit to each active Club and Junior lodge during the year to evaluate their

Club work and encourage their progress.

We were extremely pleased by the enthusiastic participation of our youth groups in the 4 State Conclave. The Theta Rho meeting on Saturday afternoon was opened and closed in form by the girls of Hopeful Hearts Theta Rho Club No. 39 of Glenwood. Although they had been organized only 13 months, the outstanding manner in which these girls carried on their Club work was truly remarkable. Little Angel Theta Rho Club No. 33 of Red Oak conferred the Theta Rho degree on two candidates and we know the Iowans present were extremely proud of our girls. These two Clubs as well as girls from Old Gold No. 1 of Iowa City and Starlite No. 32 of Indianola and boys from Red Oak Junior Lodge No. 17 and Old Capitol No. 1 of Iowa City participated in the drill pageant on Saturday night. We feel sure that if the Rebekahs and Odd Fellows would give as much support and enthusiasm to our Youth work as the youth have given to us our Order could not help but prosper and grow.

We are extremely pleased to report that we were able to resume Camp Halada with a most successful session in which 31 Theta Rho girls and 19 Junior Lodge boys participated under the guidance of 13 adults. A great deal of credit for this success must be given to Hallie Posnecker whose services as Camp Director are invaluable. Her organizational abilities as well as her exceptional talent in working with young people are unbeatable. The members of this committee as well as the Advisors and members of all clubs and junior lodges wish to express to her our deepest gratitude for all her wonderful efforts. A full camp program was carried out beginning with an early morning flag raising, a daily instruction period in which the history of Odd Fellowship and the meaning of club work was stressed, craft activities, sports and swimming and an evening session ranging from stunt night to camp olympics and exercising to music kept the campers busy. Delicious meals were prepared by Marion Robinson assisted by Lylas Haydon and Eddis Allen and volunteer Rebekahs from the lodges in Bagley, Casey, Menlo, Guthrie Center and Stuart. We are especially grateful to all these ladies for their assistance. The dining room was in charge of Hazel Lyons. She and Lyles Haydon also assisted Elizabeth Lyons who was in charge of the craft activities. Assisting the Advisors who were present as counselors were Arthur Marston, Ivan Allen, and Harry Lyons. Without the assistance of these brothers we would have been unable to offer as many boys the opportunity to attend camp as we did. Debbie Hackbarth also gave us invaluable assistance as a counselor. Members of the youth committee attending were Hallie Posnecker, Hazel Lyons and Marjorie Hefte. We wish to express our appreciation to everyone who in any way helped to make Camp Halada 1971 a great success.

We wish we could conclude this report with some startling information that would inspire each of you to begin now to offer your time, your talents and your interest to work with our youth program. If we are to progress and to grow we must all begin to work together to

strengthen and promote youth work. They need us — but we need them even more — for they are our future.

Fraternally submitted,

Charles Dewey, Chairman
Marjorie Hefte, Co-Chairman
Hazel Lyons, Secretary
Hallie Posnecker
Robert Foster
Milton Luft

U.N. PILGRIMAGE REPORT

REPORT OF THE 1971 UNITED NATIONS PILGRIMAGE COMMITTEE

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of Iowa and the

Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

The U.N. Committee of Iowa met for their first time this year at the last session of the Grand Lodge and Rebekah Assembly. Chairman LaVada Peterson, Vice - Chairman Sam Cuvelier, members Elaine Tomlin and Merval Moulton. All members were present. Plans for the year were made. The second meeting was held in February in the office of the Grand Secretary in Des Moines. All members of the committee were present. The Grand Master and the President were invited to this meeting but both were unable to be present. At this meeting it was decided to send Brother Sam Cuvelier and Doris Horner as directors on the bus this year. Both were very capable and we wish to thank them for taking this responsibility. It is a very enjoyable trip but one of the greatest responsibility for the directors. We would also like to thank the lodges for their send-off breakfast and the supper upon their return. They left Des Moines on July 19 with a good breakfast served at Kingman Lodge Hall in Des Moines. Upon their return, they were served supper on Aug. 3 at the Mitchelville Lodge. This is also appreciated very much. Also, we would like to remember the lodges that served other buses from other Jurisdictions on their way through our state. This is all helping this project, which I feel is one of the better projects sponsored by our Order. In helping our youth, we are laying the ground work for members of tomorrow.

The Iowa group for this year were 35 in number and covered about the same trip as years before, seeing the highlights of Washington D.C., Gettysburg Battlefield, Philidelphia, New York City and spending a week studying in the United Nations. Then on returning, traveled through Upper New York State and seeing Niagara Falls and Canada. I believe all the youth will say that it is a trip they will always

remember.

Following is a list of the youth chosen to go on the tour this year and the lodges which sponsored them: Gary Wicker, Pond Lily No. 19 Lake View; Richard Wenman, Eureka Lodge No. 44, Iowa City; Kristy Parker, Coon Rapids No. 459, Coon Rapids; Teresa Brickley, P.G.M. Tom Stimpson; Peggy Beckfield, Fonda No. 203; Gayla Belden, Dexter, Stuart Lodge No. 214; Ingrid Sue Morton, Independence No. 142; Cathy Chatterton, Derexa No. 129, Wapello; Barbara Rick, Janesville No. 585; Roxann Gutknecht, Cedar Falls No. 233 & Happy Thought No. 256; Kemberly Frohn, Cedar Falls No. 233 & Happy Thought No. 256; Kristine Wilder, Sarah No. 57, Osceola; Marcia Brinegar, Moulton No. 91; Mardel Lyman, Buena Vista No. 258, Newell; Marcia Grapp, Clark's ville No. 351; Carol Cochran, Chariton No. 64; Jane Gray, Galva No. 387; Randy Hatteberg, Fonda No. 203; Kevin Biehl, Charity No. 334. Britt; Steven Henrich, Buena Vista No. 258, Newell; William Henrich, Buena Vista No. 258, Newell; Timothy Hill, Buena Vista No. 258, Newell; Mark Hunter, Bloomfield No. 1; Gary Wanberg, Galva No. 387; Paul Voge, Galva No. 387; Brian Borchardt, Telulah No. 285, Grundy Center; Marla Rumley, Sarah No. 57, Osceola; Mary Altfillisch, Arcturus No. 100, Iowa Falls; Ann Kellogg, Arcturus No. 100, Iowa Falls; Steve Graham, Polk Co. Youth; Melissa Garver, Polk Co. Youth; Kathy Schomer, Harlan No. 267; Mark Hikkelsen, Harlan No. 267; Raymond Edwards, Indianola No. 70; David Ralston, Liscomb No. 242.

The committee would like to thank those lodges which sent in their reservations early. This makes it so much nicer on the committee. We had our quote filled very early in the year and we were so pleased that so much interest is developing in this project. Please start your plans now for the coming year. It is not too soon to start considering a delegate for the 1972 tour. If you need information on this project, please write to anyone on the committee and I am sure they will be happy to provide you with the necessary information. We would like to thank all the lodges that helped in any way this year to make this project a success. Keep up the good work. Remember, these delegates are filled with information about the tour. Please ask them to come to your lodge and give their report. They are more than happy to tell you all about it. I am sure you would gain much from hearing them.

We, as a committee, would also like to thank the Grand Master and the Assembly President for the privilege of serving on this committee.

It is a joy to work with the youth. They are grand people.

Fraternally submitted.

LaVada Petersen, Chariman Sam Cuvelier, Vice-Chairman Elaine Tomlin, Member Merval Moulton, Member Proceedings of

SPECIAL SESSION

of the

Rebekah Assembly

I.O.O.F. OF THE STATE OF IOWA

Convened at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, October 12, 1970

The Special Session of the Rebekah Assembly, Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the State of Iowa, convened in the Ballroom, Hotel Roosevelt, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Tuesday, October 12, 1971.

The Special Session was presided over by Elizabeth Seitsinger. President and was called to order at 2:30 p.m.

GAVEL PRESENTED

Past President Lucile Shanda, Advisor to the President, presented the gavel to the President to open the Special session with these words "I started you in the Assembly by giving you your first appointment and now I present you this gavel to start your session."

The Officers of the Assembly assumed their stations, the Password

was taken by the Assembly Marshall and Assistant Marshall. Conductor and Assistant Conductor, and all present were qualified to

The Color Bearer, escorted by the Marshall and Conductor retired and presented the Flag of Our Country.

Roll call of Officers taken and delayed Roll Call of Delegates until the Warden's first Class.

The Chaplain addressed the Throne of Grace.

CHARTER DISPLAYED

The Charter of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa was displayed by the

Assembly Secretary legalizing the business to be transacted by the Special Session.

OPENING SESSION

At the request of the President, the Vice President, Lylas Hayden declared the Special Session of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa, Independent Order of Oddfellows open for the transaction of the business for which it had been called. The President declared it open accordingly.

WELCOME

President Elizabeth Seitsinger extended a welcome to all present and said she was tickled blue (her favorite color) to extend greetings at this HARVEST SESSION.

CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE

Helen Kukkuck, Chairman of the Committee presented Report No. 1, and moved the adoption of her report. Seconded by Arlene Sheneberger: District No. 57. Adopted.

REPORT 1.

To the officers and members of the Rebekah Assembly I.O.O.F. of lowa:

We, the Credential Committee have examined the Credentials of 20 new delegates, 13 Past Noble Grands and find they are entitled to receive the Rebekah Assembly Degree and be seated in the Assembly.

Signed:
Helen Kukkuck, Chr.
Helen Milburn
Helen Leyda
LaVada Petersen, P. Pres.
Ivan Allen, P. G. Master

WARDEN AND CLASS

The warden, Maxine Hackbarth, and class were escorted into the assembly room by the Assembly Marshall and Conductor and they formed the letter E in honor of President Elizabeth's Harvest Session. The President held the Bible for the Obligation. The Assembly Warden presented Report No. 1 and moved for the adoption of same. Seconded by Lela Schultz District No. 93. Adopted.

REPORT 1

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly, I.O.O.F., of Iowa:

I have instructed 20 new delegates, 13 Past Noble Grands in the

Rebekah Assembly Degree and they are entitled to be seated in this Assembly.

New Delegates

13	Kathryn Kurth	Star	30	Lake City
39	Georgia Ann Roberts	Columbia	6	Stuart
56	Nellie Macklin	Empress	364	Ft. Madison
17	Edith Sawyer	Tina	105	Clear Lake
23	Beryl Lindeman	Silver Lining	82	DeWitt
79	Alice Underwood	Vashti	113	Montezuma
35	LaVeta Liekweg	Rosetta	177	Hampton
77	Helen Way	Mercy	215	Des Moines
77	Bernice Longerbone	Acme	128	Des Moines
95	Irene Buckley	Northern Light	344	Forest City
30	Floy Barnard	Sarah	57	Osceola
71	Helen Puhrman	Locke	430	Primghar
41	Alice Champion	Charity	334	Britt
83	Marjorie McNerney	Zenobia	286	Harlan
5	Evelyn Davis	Audubon	459	Audubon
43	Doris Sieck	Marry	141	Logan
81	Ivon Buehler	Odebolt	336	Odebolt
59	Marvel Willits	Chariton	33	Chariton
3	Reva Steiber	Central Star	403	Rossville
19	Vada Hansen	Nashua	505	Nashua
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Past Noble Grands

1	Dorothea Van Vleet	Cora	143	Fontanelle
57	Opal Prusek	Praha	5	Cedar Rapids
6	Peggy Parks	Orion	63	Shellsburg
6	Mary Hoon	Orion	63	Shellsburg
87	Marie Hall	Golden Rule	134	Bedford
37	Marie Kinnan	Bethel	87	Churdan
43	Mary Perry	Mary	141	Logan
57	Marjorie Sieck	Grove City	35	Marion
57	Berneta Weaver	Grove City	35	Marion
57	Irene Vavra	Ely	56	Ely
57	Olga Vavra	Ely	56	Ely
57	Irma Modracek	Ely	56	Ely
57	Helen Walshire	Ely	56	Ely

Maxine Hackbarth Assembly Warden

Roll call of Delegates was taken, eighty three answered the roll call.

SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

The school of Instruction was then conducted by the Assembly

Secretary, Treasurer, Vice President, and President.

The President reviewed the duties of the Delegates indicating that all reports of the Assembly Session should be promptly given to the lodges in their districts and in all instances, weather, at all permitting, be concluded by December 31, 1971. She stressed the fact that incoming Officers to be installed in January need the President's Program before assuming their duties in order to be familiar with the new program. It was also pointed out that it is the Delegate's duty to make a report to the President of the status or needs of the lodges within the district she represents. It was further stressed that delegates are permitted to issue commissions for the Unwritten Work only within their own districts, and that if for any reason assistance in hearing this work is needed that they may solicit the aid of any Past Elective Officer of the Rebekah Assembly. The President further requested that as soon as a Lodge has been placed on the Honor Roll that the Chairman of the Board of Instruction be notified at once, which would assist her in her work. It was also further stressed that when collections are taken and submitted that they be properly identified as to the reason or purpose of collection and that this include the Lodge number and not the District number.

President Elizabeth then asked the Vice President, Lylas Hayden, for instruction. She called attention to the fact that numerous lodges received no recognition for balloting on Assembly Officers, for lack of being properly completed. In some instances the Lodge Numbers were omitted, Noble Grand didn't sign, Secretary of Lodge didn't sign, Official Seal was ommitted, District number was indicated rather than Lodge number, number of votes cast was omitted, as well as the date on which the balloting was held. All of these items are of importance in securing an accurate account and ommission of any causes the ballot not be counted.

Vice President Lylas also discussed the Delegate's Luncheon to be held at 12:30 p.m. in the Roosevelt Hotel. All lodges PLEASE nominate a delegate.

The Secretary, Vivian Nelson instructed the Delegates on the proper method to second a motion, and that the delegate seconding a motion would be recognized by the President. Please be sure that checks go to the right person as it takes additional postage to forward them on. It will soon be possible to get Constitution and By Laws. The secretary informed us there are still 3 lodges using old form of checks. This is really not legal. It is not for sure if there will be secretary meetings this next year but we'll be notified.

Secretary had a large supply table at the rear of the Rebekah Assembly Room. The Treasurer again said that we should be prompt to cash checks, to help her to complete her work.

CLOSING OF SPECIAL SESSION

The Assembly Chaplain, Doris Cuvelier approached the Throne of Grace, gave the Prayer and closed the Bible.

The Color Bearer, Elaine Tomlin escorted by the Marshall Louise

Galvin, and the Conductor Jane Fauth, retired with the Flag.

At the request of the President, the Vice President Lylas Hayden,

declared the business for which the Special Session had been called being concluded and the assembly was adjourned until 8:30 a.m., Wednesday morning. The President declared it adjourned accordingly.

Sincerely and Fraternally, Vivian Nelson Secretary Rebekah Assembly

SPECIAL NOTICE TO SECRETARIES

Rebekah Lodge Secretaries will please read the following and note that the Secretary's blank books, Book of Ceremonies, Charge Books, Keys to the Unwritten Work, Past Noble Grand pins, Rebekah Recognition pins, Theta Rho Past President's pins, Members chain regalia, Past Noble Grand chain regalia, Officers chain regalia, Flag Bearers cord and chain regalia, books of degree work, official Music Book and many other articles can be purchased from the Assembly Secretary, Vivian Nelson. Other supplies may be purchased from Berle J. Starr, Grand Secretary.

The Grand Secretary and Assembly Secretary MUST conform to the law requiring that ALL ORDERS FOR SUPPLIES FURNISHED FROM THEIR OFFICE SHALL BE ACCOMPANIED WITH REMITTANCE FOR SAME. PLEASE DO NOT SEND POSTAGE FOR PAYMENT.

All remittances whether by Post Office order, Express money order or bank checks, should be made out to the Secretary from whom the supplies are ordered, Berle J. Starr, Grand Secretary, 5850 Oakwood Dr., Des Moines, Iowa 50322 or Vivian Nelson, Assembly Secretary, R. No. 2, Clear Lake, Iowa 50428.

All amendments to By-Laws of Rebekah Lodges must be made in duplicate, signed by the Noble Grand and Secretary, given the impress of the lodge seal and mailed to Ronald Puhrmann, Deputy Grand Master, R. No. 1 Cherokee, Ia. 51012.

Request for conferring the Rebekah Degree and certificate of degree and Past Noble Grand certificates are furnished free to LODGES upon request of the SECRETARY.

"Book of Ceremonies," revised up to date to be used in a Rebekah lodge including the form of balloting adopted by the Rebekah Assembly, making it mandatory that all Rebekah lodges use it as well as instructions pertaining to cards and their use, also much valuable information relative to our laws and usages, is sold by the Assembly Secretary to lodges of members. Order these through your lodge Secretary. A booklet "A Good Lodge Secretary" which gives the duties of the Recording and Financial Secretary is among the supplies.

Make out your lodge report at the close of each term. Have it approved by the lodge, signed by the Noble Grand and Secretary, with the seal attached and send it to the Assembly Sec'y, Vivian Nelson, R No. 2, Clear Lake, Ia., without delay. The per Capita Tax, Grand Lodge Home Maintenance Tax and sovereign Grand Lodge Tax for the past term should accompany the report. It is mandatory that a Rebekah Lodge carry a schedule bond on their lodge officers. The lodge reports and Per Capita Tax will be sent to this office in January and July

regardless of the yearly term for officers.

In accordance with Standing Resolution No. 67, Per Capita Tax of 25 cents per member for Assembly Tax, 75 cents per member Home Maintenance Tax and 25 cents per member Sovereign Grand Lodge Tax is due in January; 35 cents per member Assembly Tax, 75 cents per member Home Maintenance Tax and 25 cents Sovereign Grand Lodge Tax is due in July.

A total of \$1.25 per member to be sent with the January report and

\$1.35 per member with the July report.

Vivian Nelson, Secretary R.R. No. 2 Clear Lake, Iowa 50428 **Telephone 357-2092** Proceedings of

Eighty-Fourth Annual

COMMUNICATION

of the

Rebekah Assembly

Cedar Rapids, October 13, 14, 15, 1971

WEDNESDAY A.M.

The 84th Annual Session of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa, Independent Order of Oddfellows, convened in the ballroom of Hotel Roosevelt in Cedar Rapids, Wednesday, October 13, at 8:30 a.m.

Along the assembly room walls were large placards that had been used the past year to emphasize our President's program. A spot light shone on a large blue placard at the back of the platform. The President's motto "Actually, interested, fraternally" was placed on this placard in large letters. The table on the podium had a white tablecloth covered with blue net. The florals were from — Margaret Bottomly, Praha Rebekah Lodge No. 5, Grand Lodge Committee and the Past Noble Grands of Cedar Rapids. These were placed in front of the table.

The altar in front of the President's station was covered with a white cloth on which was placed the Holy Bible, a large blue candle and a large ceramic cornucopia. The four emblems, the dove, the lily, the beehive and the moon and seven stars were flowing from the cornucopia. The three golden links of Odd Fellowship were placed above the cornucopia and daisy and lily in front as these were our President's flowers. Also a ceramic blue bank, which represented Rebekah. The little "Bluebird of Happiness" was plaed in the center of the table. At the right and left of the table two huge paper daisies were placed.

SEATING OF OFFICERS

The Past Noble Grands of Cedar Rapids escorted each Past

President, Appointive Officer and Committee members individually through a gate way of flowers. Each officer was introduced, welcomed and then escorted to seats in the front, where they were given a gift.

The elective officers were then escorted to their stations in like manner. The official family was attired in Harvest colors of blue, emerald green, yellow, brown and orange. As our Assembly President, Elizabeth Seitsinger, was presented, the assembly soloist, Eddis Allen, sang the President's song, "May You Always". The President thanked the Past Noble Grands for their lovely seating of the officers. She then had her advisor presented, Past President Lucile Shanda, and she was seated at her right.

GAVEL PRESENTED

Past Grand Master, Bill Evans, presented President Elizabeth with a gavel that he had made. President Elizabeth requested that all those not qualified to remain for the business session to retire. The doors were closed and the marshall, assistant marshall, conductor, assistant conductor, proved all present and reported that all in attendance were qualified to remain.

FLAG PRESENTED

The President requested that the Color Bearer escorted by the Marshall and Conductor retire and present the flag of our country. We then recited in unison the "Pledge of Allegiance" to the flag.

ROLL CALL

Roll call was taken by the Secretary and found the following present: President - Elizabeth Seitsinger Inside Guardian - Muriel Roudabush Vice President - Lylas Haydon Outside Guardian - Mae Marek Inside Steno. - Odetta Mason Warden - Maxine Hackbarth Secretary - Vivian Nelson Outside Steno - Florence Hollingsworth Treasurer - Muriel Galvin Musician - Mary Shafer Marshall - Louise Galvin Messenger - Kay Sheneberger Color Bearer - Elaine Tomlin Conductor - Jane Fauth Chaplain - Doris Cuvelier

PRAYER

As the assembly musician played appropriate music, an angel brought forth the assembly president's personal Bible. Two sisters escorted the angel. After the Bible was placed on the altar, the assembly chaplain approached the throne of Grace and gave the opening prayer. The assembly soloist then sang a prayer hymn.

OPENING SESSION

Vice President, Lylas Hayden, upon instruction from the President, declared the 84th Annual Session of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa, I.O.O.F. open for the transaction of business. The President declared it open accordingly.

CHARTER DISPLAYED

The assembly secretary displayed the charter of the Rebekah Assembly, thus legalizing the proceedings of the session.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED

The following were appointed on committees that were not appointed at the close of Installation last year.

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Maxine WatsonBagleyRuth GinkensKeotaElla Mae OsbornMitchellville

Credential

Helen Leyda Bloomfield
Helen Milburn Carlisle

Legislation

Arlene Sheneberger Cedar Rapids
Eldora Leon Bloomfield
Bernice Longerbone Des Moines

Election Returns

Zura Brown Fontanelle
Lavona Hatten Marshalltown
Jennie Walter Pocahontas

Mileage and Expense

Veneta Reeves

Wanda Coulter

Grace Sanderson

Adel

Independence

Sigourney

Memorial

Gladys Reed Council Bluffs
Stella Wardenburg
Bonnie Loynachan Williamsburg
Knoxville

Board of Instruction

Lucile Sheets Cedar Rapids
Cleola Schamberger Cedar Rapids

RESIGNATIONS & APPOINTMENTS

District 8—Jennie Saver resigned, Margaret Kiegley, Madrid appointed

District 13—Delegate died, Kathryn Kurth, Lake City appointed

District 17—Mabel Roberts resigned, Edith Sawyer, Clear Lake appointee

District 20—May Cooper resigned, Floy Barnard, Osceola appointed
District 34—Nellie Green resigned, Leona Munger, Nora Springs

appointed

District 36—Ruth Kish resigned, no replacement

District 41—Kate Nedved resigned, Alice Champeon Britt appointed

District 50-Mabel Nolin resigned, no replacement

District 56—Alice Macklin resigned, Nellie Macklin, Ft. Madison appointed

District 61—Luella Whitworth resigned, Maxine Kingery, Lorimor

appointed

District 62 —Virgie Phillips resigned, Ruth Quillin, New Sharon appointed

District 80—Fornola Virden resigned, Wilma Highshoe, Kellerton

appointed

District 89—Wilma Norton resigned, June McClure, Selma appointed

District 92—Mae Marek resigned, Ruth Bull, Wellman appointed

District 93—Merle Rockhold resigned, Lelah Schultz, Lineville appointed

WELCOME

No greater honor or privilege can come to me than that of greeting and welcoming each of you to the Harvest Session of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa. I extend to you a warm and sincere welcome and the officers join me in this Welcome. The sun is now setting on one of the busiest, happiest and rewarding years of my life. I will always be grateful to you for the privilege of serving as your President. For the high experience this office afforded me, for the friends I have made through the years and for the beautiful memories that will linger in my heart. God has been good to me, so humbly before Him and proudly I give my Thanks and take no credit for having accomplished one single thing alone, but only with His Guidance and the help of you my Sisters and Brothers. As I assumed the office I did so with a prayer in my heart that I might serve with love and kindness, tolerance and understanding. I have tried to bring some happiness wherever I went and leave behind a deeper love for our Wonderful Order. I have tried to promote Rebekah - Oddfellowship by practicing the principles of our Order, Friendship, Love and Truth. During our session a story will unfold, a story of the results of the seeds of kindness which you have been sowing this year so that we could reap a bountiful harvest of new members into our fraternal family.

The earth has yielded up its precious gifts of fruit and grain. The world may suffer many changes, but these things remain; the glory of the harvest and the bounty of the soil. Rich reward for weary hours of hard and patient toil.

Life, too has its harvesting when youth's bright days have flown.

Down the furrows of the years we reap what we have sown.

Scatter then the seeds of friendship and of charity; and for each good seed you cast you'll reap abundantly; Sow in love and when at last the golden days depart; Gather sheaves of happiness; the harvests of the heart. To each of you I say, I'm glad to have you with us on this beautiful October day. I hope your stay is pleasant remembering we're all one big family.

MINUTES

Past President Leona Lindeman moved the Secretary's minutes be

approved as printed in the journal. Seconded by Dorothy Atwater, District No. 28. Motion carried.

CREDENTIAL REPORT

Chairman of credential committee gave Report No. 2 and moved for adoption of same. Seconded by Evelyn Dairs, District No. 5. Motion carried and adopted.

REPORT 2

To the officers and members of the Rebekah Assembly I.O.O.F. of owa:

We, the Credential Committee have examined the Credentials of 7 Past Noble Grand and find they are entitled to receive the Rebekah Assembly Degree and be seated in the Assembly.

Signed:

Helen Kukkuck, Con Helen Leyda Helen Melburn LaVada Petersen, P. Pre. Ivan Allen, P.G.M.

The Marshall and Conductor were instructed to retire and present the Warden and class.

WARDEN AND CLASS

The Warden, Maxine Hackbarth, and class were escorted into the assembly room by the Marshall and Conductor and they formed the letter V in memory of Past President Vira Reynolds. The Vice President, Lylas Hayden held the Bible for the Obligation. The Assembly Warden presented Report No. 2 and moved for the adoption of same. Seconded by Violet Breffle, District No. 30. Report adopted.

REPORT NO. 2

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly, I.O.O.F., of Iowa:

I have instructed 7 Past Noble Grands in the Rebekah Assembly Degree and they are entitled to be seated in this Assembly.

Fraternally Submitted

Maxine Hackbarth, Warden

RELIEF COMMITTEE

The Vice President reported no calls on for the relief committee. She moved the adoption of her report. Seconded by Helen Zimmerman,

District No. 57. Adopted.

WORLD EYE BANK

Past President LeNora Schuknecht gave her report on the World Eye Bank and moved for the adoption of same. Seconded by Gladys Reed, District No. 78. Adopted report.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

It has again been my pleasure to serve our Grand Jurisdiction as the chairman of the "Eye Bank".

The vital need for funds for the endowment of the visual research and educational project at the Johns Hopkins Hospital is now past; as the goal has been reached, because of this fact the contributions from individuals and Rebekah Lodges has decreased with each passing year.

This year the entire amount contributed in Iowa is to remain in our Jurisdiction and be used for that purpose here.

I will not in this report to the Assembly read the names of each contributor as the list will be published in the Journal along with the amount of each contribution.

The total amount to reach me this year has been \$145.65 which has been turned over to our Assembly Secretary as of this date.

There may have been other contributions sent directly to the Secretary and if so they will be included in her report.

For each gift, no matter how great or how small, we are very grateful and feel sure it will be used wisely for the purpose for which it was intended.

Respectfully submitted

LeNora Vey Schuknecht P.P.

Doris Atkinson
LeNora Schuknecht
Pope Rebekah No. 136 9.65
Fulton No. 100
Praha No. 5 10.00
Bloomfield No. 1
Nashua No. 505 10.00
Zilpha No. 49 10.00
Sarah No. 57
Crown No. 360 5.00
Salina No. 599 5.00
Faith No. 174 5.00
Oneota No. 175
Thistle No. 261
Menlo No. 547
Odebolt No. 336 1.00
Columbia No. 6 1.00
Rainbow No. 227 1.00

LeNora also moved if we can keep this aid in Iowa that it should be used at the I.O.O.F. Home for visual aid. Seconded by Seafre Kincaid, District No. 4. Motion carried.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

The conductor introduced Ellen Madson, Past President of the Rebekah Assembly of South Dakota. She also was past Musician of Ladies Encampment Auxiliary; Hazel Hinders, Warden of L.E.A. Both were given the honors. Past President Ellen was then greeted by Past President Abbie Calhoun; Warden Hazel by Past President, Leona Lindeman.

LETTER

A letter was read from Sister Doris Atkinson wishing all a profitable and harmonious session and sorry that she could not be with us for the session but hoped to be back next year.

BILLS

Assembly Secretary read bills which had been presented and moved the same be referred to the finance committee. Seconded by Veneeta Reeves, District 25. Motion carried.

THE INTERNATIONAL REBEKAH

The Assembly President appointed Past President Margaret McCoy to fill the vacancy created by the death of Past President Vira Reynolds. Since papers were destroyed at the family home, there was not a report but Margaret requests all to subscribe to the International Rebekah. She moved the adoption of her report. Seconded by Margaret Kingley, District No. 82. Motion carried.

FLORAL REPORT

The Floral Report was given by the Assembly Secretary who moved for the adoption of her report, which was seconded by Helen Modlen, District No. 38. Motion adopted.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly, Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Iowa:

One of our dearly beloved Past Presidents answered the last roll call

during the year and is now in the Assembly above.

Our very dear Past President Vira Reynolds closed her eyes in peaceful sleep on July 23, 1971. Expressions of sympathy from this Assembly were sent to the funeral in the form of a spray of white mums with pink ribbon and gold lettering "Rebekah Assembly of Iowa."

This year the circle of Past Grand Masters was again broken when Brother Harry Larson of Forest City left this earth to join the Grand

Lodge above.

I have also sent six sympathy cards to families of Past Officers of all branches during the year who have lost loved ones. I also sent a card of sympathy from this Assembly to Sister Evelyn LaOrange our Secretary of the International Association of Rebekah Assemblies at the time of the death of her husband.

Fraternally Submitted,

Vivian Nelson, Secretary and Chairman

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

Several Past Presidents retired to escort and introduce into the Assembly Room the following visitors. From the Ladies Auxiliary Patriarch Militant — Mildred Mosher, Orpha Stebbeds, and Grand Matriarch, Pearl Hammond. From Ladies Encampment Auxiliary — Gladys Reynolds, Elizabeth Lyons, Beulah Hansen. The President thanked all for their attendance at her session.

LEGISLATION

Chairman of legislation committee, Alice Clark, gave legislation report No. 1.

Rebekah Lodge Constitution

The Chairman moved for the adoption of the deletion and amendment to Section 8. Seconded by Bonnie Boyken, District No. 32. Adopted.

The chairman moved to strike out Visiting Card of Section 13. Seconded by Edith Sawyer, District No. 17. Adopted.

Motion made to amend last paragraph of Section 35. Seconded by Ida Miller, District No. 90. Adopted.

Motion made to amend Section 39, Vacancies. Seconded by Helen Way, District No. 77. Adopted.

Motion made to delete Paragraph XII of Section 43 and amend Paragraph XII of Section 43. Seconded by Kathleen Nettell, District No. 6. Adopted.

Motion made to Amend Section 70A. Seconded by Edith Waddell,

District No. 16. Adopted.

Rebekah Assembly Constitution

Motion made to amend Section 2, Paragraph (b). Seconded by Zula Brown, District No. 1. Adopted.

Motion made to amend Section 2, Paragraph (c). Seconded by Doris

Sieck, District No. 43. Adopted.

Motion made to amend Section 4, paragraph (a) Seconded by Stella Wardenburg, Dist. 48. Upon discussion a motion to withdraw the Amendment to Section 4, Paragraph (a) until further change in the Amendment be presented by the Legislation Committee. Seconded by Stella Wardenburg, Dist. 48. Carried.

Motion made to amend Section 5, Paragraph (a). Seconded by

Estella Hansen District No. 99. Adopted.

REPORT NO. 1

To the officers and members of the Rebekah Assembly of the

Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Iowa:

We, your Committee on Legislation, to whom was referred the amendments and changes in the Rebekah Assembly and Rebekah Lodge Constitutions to conform to a law passed by Sovereign Grand Lodge in 1970. This legislation was in the office of the Assembly Secretary prior to September 1, 1971.

We wish to submit the following changes to the constitution of the

Rebekah Lodges:

1. To delete Section 8 as found on page 310 of the 1970 Journal in its

entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 8. Resident Applicants. In the event of there being two or more lodges in the same town, the choice of the lodge to which he or she may present his or her petition for membership either by initiation, withdrawal card, dismissal certificate or official certificate will be theirs.

2. To amend Section 13 page 313 of the 1970 Journal by striking out the words (in whose territorial jurisdiction he or she resides) so that

when amended, said Section will read as follows:

Section 13. Membership with an Official certificate. Any member of this Degree shall have the privilege of applying for membership in any Rebekah Lodge accompanying the application with an official certificate in date, without first applying for a withdrawal card from the lodge in which he or she holds membership. Upon the election of the Brother or Sister by the lodge in which he or she has applied for membership, said lodge shall notify the lodge of which he or she is a member of such election, returning said official certificate when being free from all charges and the payment of all dues and fees, said lodge may upon favorable ball ballot issue a withdrawal card. Upon the deposit of such card with the lodge in which he or she was elected, he or she shall be entitled to sign the members register and upon the signing of which and the payment of all admission fees required by the by-laws of said lodge, his or her membership in the lodge to which he or she made application is completed.

In the event the lodge to which he or she applies for membership as aforesaid, shall refuse his or her application, such proceedings on his or her part and the part of such lodge shall in no way effect

membership in his or her former lodge. A favorable ballot under this section cannot be reconsidered.

3. To amend the last paragraph of Section 35 so when amended said paragraph will read as follows:

Section 35. (last paragraph)

The Sister elected to Delegate must be in good standing in the lodge and said lodge must be in good standing on the records of the Assembly. She must be a Member and a regular attendant of the lodge in the District from which she was elected. After election, removal from the District from which she was elected, creates a vacancy.

4. To amend Section 39, Vacancies as found on page 318 of the 1970 Journal by striking out the words (territorial Jurisdiction of the lodge) and adding the words (District or Districts) so that if amended, said Section will read as follows:

Section 39, Vacancies. All vacancies occuring by resignation, death, removal from the District or Districts she represents or by any other cause, shall be filled by the President, who shall appoint a Past Noble Grand from the same lodge to fill the vacancy, and the Past Noble Grand so appointed shall meet all requirements for an elected Delegate. The Delegate so appointed shall serve to the end of the term for which she was appointed.

5. To delete Paragraph XII of Section 43 as found on page 321 of the

1970 Journal and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 43. Paragraph XII. Whenever a member of a Rebekah Lodge changes his or her residence, the Recording Secretary shall notify the lodge nearest the member's residence, stating name, address, age, occupation and other information concerning such member which the Secretary deems advisable. It shall be the duty of such lodge, or lodges upon receiving such information to forwith contact said member for the purpose of preventing loss of interest in the Order by reason of changing location.

6. To amend Section 70A. Transfer Certificate so that when

amended, Section 70A will read as follows:

Section 70A. Transfer Certificate. A member of the Order who shall be in possession of an official certificate or visiting card showing his or her dues paid not less than 4 weeks in advance or the date of his or her application for membership as hereinafter provided, and who shall desire to unite with a Rebekah Lodge may do so by making application for such membership accompanied by his or her official certificate and a fee of one dollar, and by complying with the law applicable thereto. If elected to membership, as provided by local law, the Secretary of the Rebekah Lodge shall immediately send notice of such election, together with said fee of one dollar (\$1.00), to the Rebekah Lodge issuing the official certificate and request such Rebekah Lodge to issue a transfer certificate for the member. The Rebekah Lodge, upon receiving such request and fee, shall unless charges be pending against such member, issue such transfer certificate without ballot and send the same at once to the Secretary of the Rebekah Lodge making such request. Upon the receipt of such transfer certificate, the member shall be entitled to sign the Constitution and become a member of the new Rebekah Lodge without the payment of any additional admission fee, and the Rebekah Lodge issuing such transfer certificate shall, upon receiving notice from the new Rebekah Lodge of the date of

signing the Constitution of such Rebekah Lodge, refund to such

member all dues paid in advance of such date.

The issuing of a transfer certificate by a Rebekah Lodge shall immediately sever the membership of the person to whom the same shall be issued from such lodge; provided, that if, the member shall die or desire to retain his or her membership in their former lodge and before completing membership in his or her new lodge by signing the Constitution thereof, the transfer certificate so issued shall be cancelled, and the member shall retain his or her standing in his or her old lodge the same as though no transfer certificate had been issued.

When a member of the Order shall transfer his or her membership from one Rebekah Lodge by transfer certificate to another, membership shall not be acquired in the new lodge until the transfer certificate shall be received and deposited, and the Constitution of the new lodge signed, nor severed in the old lodge, until the transfer certificate shall be received and deposited and the Constitution signed.

We wish to recommend the following changes in the Rebekah Assembly Constitution order to conform to the ruling of the Sovereign

Grand Lodge:

1. To amend Section 2, Paragraph (b) so that when amended, said

paragraph will read as follows:

Section 2, Paragraph (b). The sister elected as Delegate to the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa must be a member of the lodge in the District or Districts she represents and be a regular attendant of the lodge in that District or Districts.

2. To amend Section 2, Paragraph (c) so when amended, said

paragraph will read as follows:

Section 2, Paragraph (c). After election, removal of membership from the district or districts from which she was elected, creates a vacancy.

3. To amend Section 4, Paragraph, (a) so that when amended, said

paragraph will read as follows:

Section 4, Paragraph (a). In case of a resignation of a Delegate to the Rebekah Assembly removal of membership from the District or Districts she represents or from any other cause, all credentials shall be returned to the President of the Rebekah Assembly.

4. To amend Section 5, Paragraph (a) so that when amended, said

paragraph will read as follows:

Section 5, Paragraph (a). Vacancies, How filled. All vacancies occuring by resignation, death, removal of membership from the District or Districts, she represents or by any other cause, shall be filled by the President, who shall appoint a Past Noble Grand from the District or Districts to fill the vacancy, and the Past Noble Grand so appointed shall meet all requirements for an elected Delegate.

We also wish to recommend the following changes to the Constitution

of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa.

We wish to delete Section 4. Meetings as found on page 292 of the 1970

Journal and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 4. Meetings. Meetings of the Advisory Board shall be held two times a year at the I.O.O.F. Homes in Mason City, said meetings to be held semi - annually. Special meetings may be held when necessary upon call of the Chairman of the Board.

Motion made to adjourn by Wanda Coulter, District No. 10. Seconded by Edna Lee, District No. 47. Motion carried.

Vice President declared the Assembly closed.

Wednesday Afternoon

The Assembly opened in ritualistic form at 1:30 p.m. with roll call of Delegates, by the inside stenographer. The Vice President declared the assembly open for business. The President appointed Louella Howe, Mary Houn, Peggy Clarke as Pages.

DISTINGUISHED GUEST

All Past Presidents retired to present our guest, the Warden of the International association of Rebekah Assemblies, Jennie Sue Pearson from Maryland. The Past Presidents formed three links and as Past President Marjorie Hefte escorted Jennie Sue to each link she was greeted by a solo "May You Always" by Past President LaVada Petersen and a poem by our assembly warden. At the next link, solo, "Sioux City Sue" (Maryland Sue) and a poem by the Vice President; At the third link, solo, "Ain't she Sweet" and a welcome by the Assembly President. She was given a corsage of flowers and "green" leaves. Jennie Sue was given the Honors and seated to the right of the President.

DISPENSATION

The assembly Secretary read the dispensation of Evelyn Reese, President of I.A.R.A. appointing Jennie Sue, Warden of I.A.R.A., as her official Representative to the Iowa Assembly.

FLAG TRIBUTE

We paused to pay tribute to our United States Flag. As the flag was held by the two pages a beautiful bit of prose was read by the assembly President. Eddis Allen assembly soloist sang "God Bless America".

CREDENTIAL REPORT

Chairman of the Credential Committee gave report No. 3. She moved it be adopted. Seconded by Viola Breffle, District No. 30. Adopted.

REPORT 3

To the officers and members of the Rebekah Assembly I.O.O.F. of Iowa:

We, the Credential Committee have examined the Credentials of 3 Past Noble Grands and find they are entitled to receive the Rebekah Assembly Degree and be seated in the Assembly.

The Marshall and Conductor were instructed to retire and present the Warden and class.

WARDEN AND CLASS

The Marshall and Conductor escorted the Warden and class into the assembly room. The Warden moved the adoption of her report. Seconded by Helen Tatro, District No. 33. Adopted.

REPORT NO. 3

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly, I.O.O.F., of Iowa:

I have instructed 3 Past Noble Grands in the Rebekah Assembly Degree and they are entitled to be seated in this Assembly.

Fraternally Submitted, Maxine Hackbarth, Warden

UNWRITTEN WORK

Edna Ward, chairman of the board of instruction recited the unwritten work word perfect and it was appreciated by all.

GREETINGS

The Assembly Secretary had received many greetings from other jurisdictions but to read them all was impossible. She chose to read the one from the IARA and the State of Maryland, the Warden of the IARA being from that state. Greetings were received from Alberta, Arkansas, Colorado, British Columbia, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Georgia, Kansas, Kentucky, Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Mississippi, Maine, Maritime Provinces, Montana, Nebraska, New York, New Mexico, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Ontario, Oregon, Saskatchewan, South Carolina, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin and Wyoming. The greetings will be given to the President for her scrap book.

LEGISLATION

Alice Clark, legislation Chairman reported on Section 4 as revised after the rejection. She moved this revision be adopted. Seconded by Dorothy Atwater, District No. 28. Adopted.

REPORT

We, the Legislative Committee beg leave to report that we recommend that Section 4. be rejected as stated, but we present this revision in lieu thereof, to read as follows:

Section 4. Meetings. Meetings of the Advisory Board shall be held

three times a year at the I.O.O.F. Homes in Mason City. One of these meetings shall be held to coincide with a meeting of the Board of Trustees. Special meetings may be held when necessary upon call of the Chairman of the Board or upon the written request of the other members of the Board.

Fraternally submitted, Signed by the Committee

Alice Clark moved that the proposal by the Executive Committee for more financial aid to the Secretary of the Assembly when she attends the Association of Rebekah Assembly Secretary meetings be referred to the Finance Committee. Seconded by Helen Way, District No. 77. Adopted.

REPORT

2. To delete Standing Resolution No. 46 in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Standing Resolution No. 46. MILEAGE AND EXPENSE. Resolved, that actual mileage to be computed by the most direct route, at the rate of \$0.06 per lineal mile and \$100.00 expense be allowed our Assembly Secretary to attend the sessions of the I.A.R.A. Such mileage to be filed with the Assembly Secretary 15 days prior to departure for the I.A.R.A. Sessions. Upon receipt of this statement, approved by the President and Secretary, the Treasurer shall be authorized to issue a check for the amounts stated, to the Secretary. Should the Secretary be unable to attend after receiving her check, said check shall be immediately returned to the Assembly Treasurer.

Signed, by Committee

THANK YOU

A letter of thanks was read from Evelyn Reese, Vice President of the Association of Rebekah Assemblies for the gift she received at the 1970 session.

SESSION CLOSED

The Session was closed for the Memorial Service to be held at People's Unitarian Church in Cedar Rapids. The Chaplain gave the closing prayer and closed the Bible. The flag was deposited for safe keeping. A motion was made for adjournment and seconded by Ivon Buehler, District No. 81. Vice President, Lylas Hayden, declared the Session adjourned until 8:30, Thursday morning. The President declared it adjourned accordingly.

Thursday Morning

The Assembly Session reconvened at 8:30 a.m. in the ballroom of Hotel Roosevelt. The officers were presented by the Past Presidents entering and forming an E for President Elizabeth.

The gavel was presented by Past President Bertha Wymore. We

were greeted for the day by President Elizabeth.

The Assembly was then opened in ritualistic form with roll call,

password taken and prayer by the assembly chaplain.

Vice President declared assembly open for the transaction of business. President declared it open accordingly and gave a "thought for the day".

INSTRUCTION

The President requested all committees, all Delegates be in the room for the nomination of Assembly Officers. The assembly Secretary then instructed the Delegates in the proper manner of handling nominations.

NOMINATION OFFICERS

PRESIDENT: Maxine Hackbarth of Acme Rebekah Lodge No. 128 was nominated by Bernice Longerbone of Acme Rebekah Lodge No. 128.

VICE PRESIDENT: Edna Ward of Star of Maine Rebekah Lodge No. 221 was nominated by Arlene Scheneberger of Cedar Rebekah Lodge No. 494.

WARDEN: Odetta Mason of Imogene Rebekah Lodge No. 259 was nominated by Edna Lee of Ida Grove Rebekah Lodge No. 264.

SECRETARY: Vivian Nelson of Tina Rebekah Lodge No. 105 was

nominated by Edith Sawyer of Tina Rebekah Lodge No. 105.

TREASURER: Muriel Galvin of Marion Rebekah Lodge No. 70 was nominated by Bonnie Joe Loynachan of Marion Rebekah Lodge No. 70, Knoxville.

I.A.R.A. REPRESENTATIVE (Vice President took over assembly) Elizabeth Seitsinger of Emerald Rebekah Lodge No. 152, Keota, was nominated by Marjorie Hefte of Charity Rebekah Lodge No. 334, Britt.

Hallie Posnecker moved that Elizabeth be elected by acclamation since there was but 1 nominee. Seconded by Lelah Schultz District No. 93. She was duly elected.

TRUSTEE FOR TWO YEAR TERM:

Erma Steinick, Madrid Rebekah Lodge No. 487, Madrid, was nominated by Helen Purhmann of Loche Rebekah Lodge 430, Primghar. Hazel Schaller moved there being but 1 nominee, that Irma be elected by acclamation for a two year term. Seconded by Alice Underwood, District No. 79. Carried.

ADVISORY BOARD (Vice President took over assembly) Elizabeth Seitsinger of Emerald Rebekah Lodge No. 152, Keota, was nominated by Lucile Shanda of Sincere Rebekah Lodge No. 59. Lucile Shanda moved there being but one nominee that Elizabeth be elected by acclamation. Seconded by Arlene Sheneberger, District No. 57. Carried.

The nominees were introduced to the assembly.

TYPEWRITER

Assembly Secretary reports needing a typewriter or repair the one we have. She moved it be referred to the finance committee. Seconded by Estella Hansen, District No. 99. Carried.

JOURNAL REPORT

Assembly Secretary reported on the printing of the Journal. She moved the acceptance of the report. Seconded by Berneice Dunn District No. 14. Carried.

REPORT

To the officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly, Independent Order of Odd Fellows:

We the journal committee met and reviewed the bids for the 1971 journal from the Emmetsburg Publishing Co.; Hahne Printing Co; The Altoona Herald; The Art Press Inc.; and West Des Moines Express and after due consideration the bid was awarded to the West Des Moines Express of West Des Moines.

Fraternally,

Vivian Nelson, Sec'y and Chairman Muriel Galvin, Treas. Margaret McCoy P.P. Shirley Lubberdon P.P.

RECESS

Several Past Presidents retired to escort the following guests: Sam Cuvelier, Tom McCoy, Helen Nelson, Irma Steinick, Richard Porter, Dorothy Porter, Lucile Shanda, Frances Simpson, Marjorie Hefte, Loren Wymore, Ivan Allen and Wilford Ward.

Loren Wymore and Ivan Allen reported briefly on the Endowment Fund, passed out the envelopes for the Endowment Fund, and then had to leave the assembly.

President Elizabeth presented Lylas with a little gift to start her on her road. There was a collection taken on Wednesday night to be given to the Home Fund for Lylas' term. The amount was \$80.

SOLO

Dick Porter favored us with an inspiring solo. "My Elusive Dreams".

Dick and Dorothy Porter

The Porters each spoke to the Assembly telling of the operation of the Homes and answered questions that were asked. Dorothy told of some of the things they would like to have for the Craft room. They also announced that a sales table had been set up just outside the

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Assembly room with items for sale that had been made by the Residents.

HOME TRUSTEE REPORT

Irma Steinick P.P. gave the trustees report. Most Home residents are on contract for \$150 a month. They also assume outside help for other than regular care.

CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE

Chairman of credential committee gave Report No. 4 and moved for adoption of same. Seconded by Doris Sieck, District No. 43. Adopted.

REPORT NO. 4

To the officers and members of the Rebekah Assembly I.O.O.F. of Iowa:

We, the Credential Committee have examined the Credentials of 6 Past Noble Grands and 1 Past Grand and find they are entitled to receive the Rebekah Assembly Degree and be seated in the Assembly.

Signed, by Committee

BUTTERNUT COFFEE STRIPS FOR CHRISTMAS CLUB

Stella Winget P.P. gave a verbal report of this project and moved the adoption of her report. Seconded by Berneice Longerbone, District No. 77. Report adopted.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

May I again express the appreciation, of the Superintendent and Matron of the Childrens Home in Illinois, for the kindness shown by the Rebekahs of Iowa, for their continued help in saving the Butternut key strips and coupons, which help the children at their Home, have a merrier Christmas.

Thank you Sister Elizabeth for giving me this privilege. May I say thank you to Sister Lylas, for bringing to me the coupons that have been collected at conventions.

Fraternally Submitted,

Stella Winget P.P.

WARDEN AND CLASS

The Marshall and Conductor retired to escort the Warden and Class. The Warden moved the adoption of her report. Seconded by LaVona Hatten, District No. 64. Adopted.

REPORT NO. 4

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

I have instructed 6 Past Noble Grands and 1 Past Grand in the Rebekah Assembly Degree and they are entitled to be seated in this Assembly.

Signed by the Warden

TRUSTEE REPORT

Irmá Steinick P.P. moved the trustee report be accepted. Seconded by Estella Hansen, District No. 99. Adopted.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly I.O.O.F. of Iowa:

This is the report of the Rebekah Representatives on the Board of Home Trustees.

During the year 1970-71 we have met on the last Tuesday of each month with the exceptions of the times when the date was changed for valid reasons. The Superintendent and anyone else who wishes to meet with the Board are always welcome. Various elective officers of the Grand Lodge, the Rebekah Assembly and the Advisory Board have met with us and we have appreciated their presence and suggestions.

There have been physical changes in the buildings and improvements in the occupational conditions made this year. There have been no actual policy changes.

More and more often we are requested to make emergency admissions. If our members could only decide to enter the Home before this condition arises it would facilitate matters for everyone.

The motto of Oddfellowship is, "We seek to elevate and improve the character of man." The motto of this Board is, "We seek to elevate physical conditions and improve the morale of our residents and employees."

If there were a magic wand to motivate our members to visit the Home I am sure the Superintendent and the members of this Board would wave it daily. It is your Home; "Are you actually interested Fraternally?"

Every year there is a meeting of the 6th District of Homes. This district consists of Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, North and South Dakota and Manitoba, Canada. This year the meeting was held in Del Rapids, South Dakota on July 31st and the Superintendent and as many of the Board as could attended. Iowa will host this meeting next year. In comparing the reports of these other jurisdictions it is very plain to see that Iowa is in the best financial condition and we are the only ones who have not accepted Federal aid or residents who are not members or both. We are proud to say we are still truly an Odd Fellow Home.

I will not go into the financial report. This information can be found in the Secretary's report where you will find a detailed report of the receipts and disbursements. The only thing I will report is that we asked for a budget of \$400,000.00 and spent \$395,779.59; a savings of \$4,220.41.

We are truly grateful to all who have contributed in any way toward the Home, the greatest effort of our Fraternity in furthering the Brotherhood of Man.

We thank you for the privilege of serving the Order in this capacity.

Fraternally submitted, Helen Nelson, P.P. Erma Steinick, P.P. and Secretary

ELECTION REPORT

Chairman of Election Returns, Berneice Westcott moved the adoption of their report. Seconded by Alice Champion, District No. 41. Adopted.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

We, the committee on Election Returns, have examined the books of the President, on Assembly Officers and find them to be correct. We also examined the books of the Vice President on delegates and made one correction.

We wish to thank you, Sister Elizabeth, for the privilege of serving on this committee for you.

Fraternally submitted,

Berniece Westcott, Chairman Zura Brown Lovona Hatten Jennie Walters Bill Evans P.G.M. Margaret McCoy P.P.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Finance committee chairman Georgia Walker moved the adoption of this report. Seconded by Eldora Leon, District No. 26. Adopted.

REPORT NO. 1

To the officers and members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:
We, the Committee on Finance, wish to report we have examine

We, the Committee on Finance, wish to report we have examined the Financial Report of the President and find it correct and in excellent order and wish to commend her on this report and express our appreciation to the Rebekahs of Iowa for their generous contributions.

Fraternally Submitted

Georgia Walker, Chairman Maxine Watson

Ella Mae Osborne Ruth Ginkins Hallie H. Posnecker. P.P. Sam Cuvelier P.G.M.

REPORT NO 2

Finance Committee chairman Georgia Walker moved the adoption of this report. Seconded by Edna Holst, District No. 82. Adopted.

We, the Finance Committee, have examined the bill for postage for the Chairman of the Board of Instructions in the amount of \$19.00 and the bill for stationery for the Rebekah Assembly in the amount of \$166.09 and recommend that these bills be paid.

Fraternally Submitted Finance Committee

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

We were honored with a visit of Elizabeth Lyons from the Grand; Ladies Encampment Auxiliary; Ronald Puhrmann, Deputy Grand Master; A.I. Fitzsimmons, Past Grand Master, Past Grand Scribe of the Grand Encampment and the Father of our Rebekah Assembly President; Charles Winget, Department Commander.

Introduced to the Assembly was Past President Hazel Schaller and P.P. of the International Association of Rebekah Assemblies; Marjorie Hefte, representative to the Association of Rebekah Assemblies and Stella Winget Past President of the Ladies Auxiliary Patriarchs militant.

I.A.R.A.

P.P. Marjorie Hefte reported on the I.A.R.A. and moved the adoption of her report. Seconded by Kathryn Kurth, District No. 13. Adopted. Marjorie presented Frances Simpson an anchor, the emblem of President Reese.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly, IOOF of Iowa:

It was truly a privilege to represent the jurisdiction of Iowa at the 55th annual session of the IARA held in conjunction with the 145th session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge in Vancouver, British Columbia. This was the first time that the session had met in Vancouver and was timed to coincide with the 100th anniversary of the entry of British Columbia into the Canadian Confederation.

Saturday, Sept. 18th was youth day. The morning program was an open discussion by both adult leaders and youth. This was very interesting for the young folks were very frank in their opinions. They were especially concerned that the Rebekah and Odd Fellow lodges failed to recognize their potential abilities in permitting them to take

part in lodge work. They wanted to be active working members and not just belong.

Mr. Robert Squire, originator of an educational anti-drug organization on the teenage level, gave a detailed report on the how and why of organizing Smarteen and SOS Clubs to educate youth on the danger of the use of drugs. He also spoke later in the week to the SGL and to the IARA sessions. All lodges were encouraged to sponsor such a

club in their respective communities.

In the afternoon only the youth were allowed to speak and again they brought out some challenging ideas. They were eager that a proposed Zeta Lamba Tau, a service and social organization for young Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, be organized. However no definite plans have as yet been formulated for such an organization. A new jacket was modeled which will soon be available, light blue with a bluebird emblem for Theta Rho girls and red with a Junior lodge emblem for Junior lodge members.

Saturday evening was the youth talent show. Once again I was disappointed that a room very inadequate for the crowd was used and many were turned away. I myself stood the entire evening to watch the young folks perform for many of them had come a long distance to put on their skit, dance, or drill. There were Junior Lodges and Theta Rho Clubs from California, Oregon, Idaho, Washington and Saskatchewan present. Highlight of the day was the winning girl and boy speaker for the 1971 United Nations Pilgrimage.

Sunday afternoon a very simple but lovely memorial was held in the spacious 7 million dollar Queen Elizabeth Theater. Music was provided by the 65 voice British Columbia Telephone Choir. The official opening

was also held here on Sunday evening.

At 7:00 on Monday morning the representatives, Past Presidents and Officers enjoyed a breakfast and an exchange of souveniors. A dogwood corsage, the flower of British Columbia, was presented to each of us.

At 8:30 in the beautiful ballroom of the Bayshore Inn the officers were seated in a lovely ceremony by the sisters of Fairview lodge of Vancouver. The officers were all attired in white and silver lace over green, pink or white tafetta and looked so very lovely. Our own Sister Frances Simpson was seated as Guardian and carried out her duties most efficiently all during the session. We from Iowa were very proud of her.

Each morning the Assembly Chaplain presented a daily devotional. Two ladies attired in very beautifully embroidered robes standing before a large open hymnal pantomined as a soloist sang the song for the day and the chaplain in a white robe knelt before them concluded with an appropriate prayer.

The Past Presidents gave a very fitting memorial using the theme "In the Garden of Tomorrow" for Past President Inez Crosby and

Secretary Emeritus Alice Shively.

Much time was spent the first several mornings reading and approving the Constitution, Standing Resolutions, By-laws and Rules of Order. There were very few major changes but the procedure did require much time. One change was the abolishment of the per capita tax which jurisdictions have been paying to the IARA. SGL has ruled that the IARA may not legally assess a per capita tax.

The Schuyler Colfax Memorial Committee reported \$159,405 in this fund and presented a resolution to enter into an agreement with SGL for its use in the erection of a building with space reserved for a Schuyler Colfax memorial and for rooms for IARA entertaining. This proposal was rejected by the Sovereign Grand Lodge however.

One resolution which I had hoped would be adopted was one recommending that all proposed changes in the Rebekah and Theta Rho rituals be presented to the IARA committee before final consideration. However SGL ruled that this could not be done since all

ritual changes are considered in secret session.

Monday night the Sovereign Grandmasters Banquet was very well attended. In fact a large group were seated in another room which required the entertainment to perform alternately in the two rooms.

But it was a most enjoyable evening.

On Tuesday morning the following officers were elected: Evelyn Reese, Minnesota; President; Leona Moore, Kentucky, Vice President; Evelyn LaOrange, Kansas, Secretary; and Virginia Thompson, Virginia, Treasurer. There were 8 nominees for Warden and Jennie Sue Pearson of Maryland, who had served as Marshall at this session, was elected Warden on the 2nd ballot.

Rose Seeley of California reported that the 1971 Rose Bowl float had won 1st prize in the fraternal division. She awarded a trophy to Mississippi and a plaque to Montana for their generous contributions to the fund. Iowa rated 7th in amount contributed with a total of \$466.25. The theme for the 1972 parade will be The Joy of Music. The Odd Fellow float will be entitled "You make me feel so young." Four young ladies from the Odd Fellows Childrens home of California will be selected to ride on it. It is estimated to cost \$17,000. More contributions for this fund were requested.

The jurisdiction of Washington presented a very clever welcome home skit for Sister Daphne. An adorable little house was quickly created in the center of the floor and she was seated in it as the story of her life was given in verse. The roof was shingled with paper money and at the conclusion of the skit a bundle of shingles, real money that is, was presented to her in case her roof ever leaked.

There were 2,700 members reported in the Go Get Her Club. It was a pleasure to receive certificates for Pat Perkins, matron of our Home at Mason City, for securing 7 new members and Mable Picking, Noble Grand of the Waterloo lodge, for securing 8 new members.

The Youth committee announced they have decided to select a Grand Ruler and a Theta Rho Assembly President to sit in twice a year on the

SGL youth committee meeting so that youth will have a voice.

Sister Ethel Kelly, executive secretary of the Educational Foundation fund stated that this was a banner year with 98 new loans totaling \$169,400 invested. Because of the great demand for loans and the limited funds available, this year applicants who had Odd Fellow or Rebekah connections were given preference. It was amazing to learn that less than 1/10 of 1 per cent has been lost from borrowers failing to repay their obligatons. She asked for continued support in donations to this worthy cause. I was surprised that Iowa has received more money in loans than any other jurisdiction, in fact over \$13,300. There were 5 jurisdictions who contributed over \$1,000 this past year.

On Tuesday afternoon the incoming Grandmaster, J. Ray King of Nebraska and the incoming President, Evelyn Reese of Minnesota presented their programs.

Wednesday evening the officers were installed for the coming year. The evening concluded with an impressive reading by a Minnesota sister telling the story of Rebekah and the Lord's Prayer in pantomine

by sisters of the Fall City, Nebraska lodge.

Thursday afternoon Sister Reese presented her promotional program and there was a clever gift presentation using the Minnesota lumberjack theme. It reminded me of our Hobo presentation of a year or two ago.

Thursday evening Sister Kenealy was honored at the Presidents banquet. Entertainment included a barber shop chorus and an

exceptionally outstanding young accordianist.

On Friday morning the \$79,927 budget was approved. It included \$7,950 for the International Rebekah News so it appears that all lodges

will again be receiving one free copy of this paper this year.

The World Eye Bank Committee reported that \$28,000 had been received in contributions this year. \$10,000 of this had been spent for equipment for the eye bank at the New Jersey College of Medicine and an Argon Laser Beam Machine had been provided to be used in western Canada.

One of the special features to add to our enjoyment during this session was the choir under the direction of the Musician, Grace Johnson of Missouri, who had a song arranged for nearly everyone that

was introduced for every occasion.

It was my privilege to serve as Chairman of the State of the Order Committee. In reviewing the records for the past year we found that as of Dec. 31, 1970 there were 6,854 Rebekah lodges with a total membership of 447,309. The 562 Theta Rho Clubs had a total membership of 13,175. Although the overall membership showed a continued loss, the percentage of loss is less and the number of new members initiated increased. Five jurisdictions reported a net gain in membership which is proof it can be done.

The session closed with the exchange of jewels at noon on Friday and everyone left with the spirit of renewed inspiration, challenge and hope that our Order shall continue to prosper and our membership to grow.

Fraternally submitted, Marjorie Hefte, Jr. P.P. and Rep.

Motion made to adjourn by Edna Lee, District No. 47. Seconded by Ivon Buehler, District No. 81. Motion carried.

Vice President declared assembly closed until 1:30 p.m.

The Bible was closed.

Thursday Afternoon

The Assembly opened at 1:30 in ritualistic form with all officers and committees present.

RECESS DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

Several Past Presidents retired to escort and introduce into the Assembly Room the following visitors. Milo Robinson, Grand Master of Iowa, Ron Puhrmann, Deputy Grand Master, Berle Starr, Grand Secretary, Russell Herbert, Treasurer of Grand Lodge, Arthur O'Neal, Grand Master from the Grand Lodge of Minnesota, and Charles Horton, Grand Conductor of the Grand Lodge of Minnesota. Berle Starr reported we may subscribe to the Hawkeye Oddfellow for \$1.00 until the first of the year. He reported a new flag ceremony will be ready by January 1. He reports we may have as many rituals as needed but they are recorded. If we approve in assembly, we Rebekah Lodges may meet once a month, twice a month and vacation 2 months, as the individual lodges wish. The Grand Master of Minnesota greeted us. After each one greeted the assembly, they had to retire.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED

A committee; Lylas Haydon, Murle Galvin and Elizabeth Seitsinger was appointed to assist the Secretary in making the proper changes in the Rebekah and Assembly Constitutions and also the Standing Resolutions.

VISITORS

Past Presidents retired to present members of the United Pilgrimage Committee, LaVada Peterson, P.P. Retired Chairman of the U.N., Elaine Tomlin Committee member, Doris Horner, Chaperon of the Bus Tour, Sam Cuvelier, P.G.M. and Chairman of the U.N. Pilgrimage next year. Sam was also on the Bus Tour this year as Tour Leader.

LEGISLATION

REPORT II

Chairman of Committee, Alice Clark, reported that the Grand Lodge approved all our legislation, effective Jan. 1, 1972.

Chairman moved that Resolution No. 58 be referred to the Finance Committee. Georgia Roberts, District No. 39 Seconded. Adopted.

Chairman moved to reject the addition to No. 46. Seconded by Helen Way, District No. 77. Adopted.

Chairman moved adoption of Resolution 69 as corrected. Seconded by Ivon Buehler District No. 81. Adopted.

Chairman moved that the following Resolution No. 73 be adopted. The President may at no expense to the assembly, appoint a soloist, Assistant Marshall. Assistant Conductor. Seconded by Edna Lee, District No. 47. Adopted.

Chairman of the committee moved that Resolution 74 be added to the

Chairman of the committee moved that Resolution 74 be added to the constitution. That a voluntary 3 cents a member be given to a fund known as Home Picnic Fund. Carried.

REPORT

To the officers and members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

We, your committee on legislation to whom was referred the changes in the Standing Resolutions of the Rebekah Assembly as proposed by

the Executive Committee, submit the following report:

1. To amend Standing Resolution No. 58 as found on page 305 of the 1970 Journal by striking out the first sentence as found on lines 1, 2, 3 and 4 and add the sentence at the beginning of the resolution "The President of the Rebekah Assembly may appoint a Community Service Chairman, and if appointed, said Chairman be allowed fifteen dollars (\$15.00) expense money." If amended, said resolution will read as follows: No. 58. CHAIRMAN OF COMMUNITY SERVICE EXPENSE. The President of the Rebekah Assembly may appoint a Community Service Chairman, and if appointed, said Chairman be allowed fifteen dollars (\$15.00) expense money. The Chairman of this committee shall prepare a summary of Community Service as reported by the Lodges during the year, and submit same to the Secretary thirty (30) days prior to the session and give a report of same in the Assembly.

3. To amend Standing Resolution No. 69 as found on page 307 of the 1970 Journal by deleting the second paragraph in its entirety and

inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Members of Georgia Quigley State Lodge No. 1 may join an active Rebekah Lodge by obtaining a withdrawal card, which card or official certificate must accompany the application for membership in a Rebekah Lodge.

We also propose the following standing resolutions to the Rebekah Assembly. No. 73. Resolved: That if the President of the Rebekah Assembly chooses to have a Soloist, Assistant Marshal and Assistant

Conductor, she may do so at no expense to this assembly.

No. 74. Resolved, that the Rebekah Lodges voluntary donate the sum of three cents (\$0.03) per member to the Annual Homes Picnic held the second Sunday in July at our Homes at Mason City, Iowa.

Fraternally submitted, By the Committee

WARDEN

Maxine Hackbarth reported on the Home Picnic. Since weather is a problem, she suggested a fund to be created to be known as Home Picnic Fund established to make a permanent building appropriate for the Home. She moved this as a recommendation to be referred to the legislation committee. Seconded by District No. 77, Berneice Longerbone. Adopted.

FINANCE REPORT NO. 3

Finance committee member Maxine Watson moved the adoption of this report. Seconded by Estella Hansen, District No. 99. Carried.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

We, the Finance Committee, having examined the books of both the Secretary and the Treasurer of the Rebekah Assembly, find them to be accurate and in excellent order.

Fraternally submitted

Finance Committee

FINANCE REPORT 4

Maxine Watson moved the adoption of this report. Seconded by Helen Way, District No. 77.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

We, the Finance Committee, have studied the request of the Assembly Secretary for the repair of the old or purchase of a new typewriter. We recommend that Sister Vivian purchase a new typewriter, the cost not to exceed \$125.00.

Fraternally submitted,

Finance Committee

U.N. PILGRIMAGE

LaVada Petersen P.P. reported having 2 bus reservations for this year's bus tour from Sac City. She introduced Doris Horner who has been chaperon this year. Doris enjoyed the tour very much. Sam Cuvelier gave the literature for the two from Sac City.

4 STATE CONCLAVE

P.P. Marjorie Hefte said there would be 20 drill teams listed in the Journal. Marjorie moved the adoption of her report. Seconded by Ivon Buehler, District No. 81.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa,

Independent Order of Odd Fellows:

The weatherman failed to cooperate for our initial planning meeting for the 4 State Conclave which we held in Des Moines on December 12th, 1970. Due to the icy road conditions only Elsie Cope, Jr. PP and her husband from Missouri, Berle Starr, Ivan Allen and I were able to attend, thus most of the planning was necessarily done by mail. We had hoped to put more fun and fellowship into the program this year and we feel that with the cooperation of the other jurisdictional

co-chairmen we did achieve this aim.

The lodges of Marshalltown were most efficient in their role of host and hostess as they greeted large delegations from Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, and Iowa on Friday and Saturday, April 23 and 24th, 1971. While over 600 members registered the two days, there were over 1000 in attendance at the drill pageant.

On Friday noon a buffet luncheon was enjoyed by the co-chairmen and elected officers of the 4 jurisdictions. Special guests were Leona Moore, IARA Warden from Kentucky and William Neal, PGM from

Pennsylvania representing our Sovereign Grandmaster.

At 2:00 our program of fun and fellowship began with Richard Porter, Superintendent of our Home, singing our theme "Let There Be Peace on Earth". Our own Sister Frances Simpson, Guardian of the IARA, brought the official welcome in a very gracious manner. The response was given by Grace Johnson, IARA Musician, from the jurisdiction of Missouri. There was much merryment and laughter as the sisters from Nebraska presented a humorous skit "Ladies of the Mop". A modern hat style show by the sisters of Kansas and hula hula dancing by 3 sisters from Missouri completed the fun. We then turned to the more serious side. Brother Berle Starr, Tour Director for the Iowa UNP, introduced Kathy Briden of Janesville, the winning girl speaker for the 1970 Pilgrimage, who gave her winning speech. The program of our IARA President, Daphne Kenealy was then read by Leona Moore, IARA Warden. She was honored by the singing of the Presidents song "When You Wish Upon a Star" by our singing Deputy Grandmaster, Arthur Marston, Brother William Neal, PGM, then brought greetings from the Sovereign Grand Lodge and an inspirational message.

Friday evening lodge was opened in form by Marshall Rebekah Lodge No. 40 of Marshalltown. The Rebekah Degree was beautifully conferred by Praha Rebekah Lodge No. 5 of Cedar Rapids in a most impressive ceremony on Helen Clemons of Union and Thomas Middleton of Belmond. This was especially meaningful for me as Tom

is my son-in-law.

A highlight and innovation of the Conclave was the Iowa Barn Dance Frolic which concluded Fridays program. Dancing to the music of the Middlemen Orchestra was thoroughly enjoyed by the large crowd in attendance.

Saturday morning the jurisdictional programs were presented in the city auditorium. This year both the presidents and grandmasters programs were presented cooperatively so that they might be enjoyed by both the sisters and the brothers. Of course the ladies outdid the brothers with their colorful presentations. Iowa's President, despite her reluctance to appear first on the program, gave a beautiful and impressive presentation that no other jurisdiction was able to equal.

Saturday afternoon was devoted to youth work. Our newest Theta Rho Club, Hopeful Hearts No. 39 of Glenwood opened the Club in an exceptionally fine manner. Since I had instituted the Club only 13 months previously I was bursting with pride in their rapid accomplishments. The Theta Rho Degree was conferred on 3 candidates by Little Angel Theta Rho Club No. 33 of Red Oak. They too gave all Iowans another reason to be proud of our youth work.

Iowa was host to Dr. and Mrs. Moore and Brother Neal at the

banquet on Saturday evening. The tables were beautifully decorated with the pink roses of our International President and the daisies of our Iowa President. Dinner music was provided by Sister Eddis Allen and all enjoyed singing along. Richard Porter again favored us with a solo.

The Saturday evening program started with the grand march by all the drill teams in attendance. Past Grandmaster Myron Allen was drill master and was assisted by Past Department Commander Walter Calhoun. The flag presentation was under the direction of Past Grandmaster Vernon Garner with the flags of all countries where Odd Fellowship is found being presented by the conclave co-chairman and members of the Junior Lodges and Theta Rho Clubs and placed by A.M., Black, Past Sovereign Grandmaster and Berle Starr Grand Secretary of Iowa.

There were 20 drill teams that took part in the colorful drill pageant, 2 from Missouri, 1 from Nebraska, and 17 from Iowa. Once again Iowa can be proud of the wonderful response our membership has given to the Conclave both with drill teams and by their attendance.

I would like to express my appreciation to Ivan Allen, Co-Chairman for his help and cooperation and especially to Berle Starr who handled a great deal of the correspondence, made all the arrangements with the drill teams, and gave invaluable assistance in the preparation of the program. The Marshalltown co-chairman, Florence and Kenneth Hollingsworth also deserve much credit for their careful planning as do all the sisters and brothers of Marshalltown who helped to make this Conclave the success that we feel it was.

Plans are already underway for the Conclave to be held in Columbia,

Missouri next year.

Twenty Drill Teams Participated in the 1971 4 State Conclave: Columbian Rebekah Lodge No. 181, Des Moines; District No. 77 Men's Team; District No. 77 Ladies Team; Old Capitol Junior Lodge and Old Gold Theta Rho Club, Iowa City; Faith Rebekah Lodge No. 174, Red Oak; Red Oak Junior Lodge and Little Angel Theta Rho Club, Red Oak; Bloomfield Rebekah Lodge No. 1, Bloomfield; Miawa Rebekah Lodge No. 146, Humeston; Purity Rebekah Lodge No. 72, Webster City; Guthrie Center Lodge No. 113 and Mispah Rebekah Lodge No. 92, Guthrie Center; Columbia, Missouri Junior Lodge; Omega Theta Rho Club Gladstone, Mo.; Hopeful Hearts Theta Rho Club, Glenwood; Grumme Rebekah Lodge No. 460, Liscomb; Marshall Rebekah Lodge No. 40, Marshalltown; Indianola Rebekah Lodge No. 111, Indianola; Independence Lodge No. 142 and Lilium Rebekah Lodge No. 25, Independence; Rebekah Rhythmettes, Lincoln, Nebraska; Sigourney Lodge No. 98 and Sigourney Rebekah Lodge No. 262, Sigourney; and Starlite Theta Rho Club, Indianola.

Fraternally Submitted

Marjorie Hefte, Co-Char.

Recommended bill for banquet ticket for international guest for 4 state conclave be referred to the finance committee. Seconded by Vada Hansen District No. 19. Carried.

President introduced the four Past Presidents who had given her

appointive offices to help her up the ladder. Irene Schulz, Lucile Shanda, Lenore Schuknecht, Margaret McCoy.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

The Memorial Service was held at the close of the day to remember those who have gone before us to their heavenly reward. The committee was directed by an angel. Then Myron Allen, Past Grand Master, and LeNora Schuknecht P.P. who carried the Bible approached the altar. They were followed by two candle bearers, and two sisters with bouquets of carnations. Myron opened the service with prayer. The candelabra was then lit by the candle bearers. A trio sang "Going Home" which was very beautiful. Scripture was read and the carnations placed in a vase of greenery. The trio then sang "Saviour like a Shepherd Lead Us". Myron gave a closing prayer. The memorial committee then retired.

The memorial committee chairman, Henrietta Seabrooke moved the adoption of their report. Seconded by Doris Siek, District No. 43. Adopted.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Iowa:

We, your Memorial Committee, report with deep feeling of sorrow, that this past year 341 Sisters and 66 Brothers have answered the final roll call and have entered their Heavenly home.

Among them was our beloved Past President Sister Vira Reynolds Who will live in our hearts forever.

We pause now to dedicate this Memorial to those loved ones who have left precious memories of their kind deeds.

To the families we extend our love and Sympathy as we share in their grief.

Fraternally Submitted

Henrietta Seabrooke (chairman) LeNora Schuknecht P.P. Myron Allen P.G.M.

Personnel

Henrietta Seabrooke LeNora Schuknecht Myron Allen Stella Wardenburg Gladys Reed Bonnie Loynachon Margaret Keigley Opal Prusek Helen Walshire Olga Vavra Irma Modracek Irene Vavra Reader
P.P. Chaplain
P.G.M. Chaplain
P.G.M. Chaplain
Delegate - Candle-lighter
Delegate - Flower bearer
Delegate - Flower bearer
P.N.G. - Angel
P.N.G. Musician
P.N.G. Trio
P.N.G. Trio
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DECEASED MEMBERS SINCE LAST ASSEMBLY

Dist. 1 - Adair Co. Cora 143, Fontanelle Effie Haagenson, PNG

Dist. No. 3 - Allamakee Co. Central Star 403, Rossville Eula Klees, PNG Lena Duglass, PNG

Dist. 4 - Appanoose Co.
Welcome 91, Moulton
Florence Ryan, PNG
Anna 95, Centerville
Bertha Bjrege
Eva K. White
Ethel Bailey, PNG
Bro. Karl Dorsey
Bro. Frank Brunson

Dist. No. 6 - Benton Co.
Garrison 75, Garrison
Dora Cordes
Frances Mansure
Sincere 59, Belle Plaine
Marie Christman
Emma Novak
Orion 63, Shellsburg
Ida Meek
Mt. Auburn 496, Mt. Auburn
Bro. Ralph Struve

Dist. No. 7 - Blackhawk Co.
Temple 54, Waterloo
Elsie Whitney Bartholemew
Iva Mae Walther
Sophie Moline
Dereva Madsen
Jessie Tull
Bro. Joseph Peck
Happy Thought 256, Cedar Falls
Garland Hansen, PNG
Anna Thuesen
Ida Isley
Ida Bundy
Etta Silvers

Dist. No. 8 - Boone Co.
Madrid 487, Madrid
Marion K. Rees
Emma Thompson PNG

Dist. No. 9 - Bremer Co. Shamrock 296 - Janesville Jessie Shore Court PNG Dora Timion

Dist. No. 10 - Buchanan Co. Lilium 25, Independence Bro. Walter Dutoit Mayme Bayer Laura Smith Marjorie Randall PNG

Dist. No. 11 - Buena Vista Co.
Buena Vista 258, Newell
Bro. O. Floyd Bellows
Frances Bellows
Marathon 437, Marathon
Myrtle Pettit
Storm Lake 205, Storm Lake
Blanche Peterson PNG
Idah Mallory
Lucy Waterburg
Ruth Wedeking PNG

Dist. No. 12 - Butler Co.
Clarksville 533, Clarksville
Bro. George Haney
Zoe Chambers PNG
Zora 12, Shell Rock
Rose Thompson PNG.
Inspiration 324, Dumont
Ruth Stock PNG
Anchor 46, New Hartford
Eva Searfoss

Dist. 13 - Calhoun Co.
Lincoln 278, Lohrville
Golda Van Horn PNG
Star 30, Lake City
Pauline Gregory PNG
Elsie Farganess PNG

Dist. No. 14 - Carroll Co. Central 191, Carroll Bro. Paul Swanson Ethel Daugherty PNG Bro. Clyde Dillavoir

Dist. No. 15 - Cass Co. Lotus 87, Atlantic Elsie Wendling Griswald 480, Griswald Edna Perdue PNG Bro. Vern Burbaum Sina Pauder

Dist. No. 16, Cedar Co.
Helping Hand 517, Tipton
Viola Schroeder
Margaret Feldman
Alice McClellan

Dist. No. 17 - Cerro Gordo Co. Queen 106, Mason City Blanche Allen Maude Blomgreen Louise Elliott PNG Myrtle Hinsley Leta Reynolds Dena Needham PNG Sarah Luddington PNG Bro. Harold White Ora Beem Tina 105, Clear Lake Pearl Hemm Ida Dawson Nellie Huntley Nell Coyier Ann Knutson

Dist. No. 18 - Cherokee Co. Diadem 372, Cherokee Bro. Glenn Parker

Dist. 19 - Chickasaw Co. Nashua 505, Nashua Iverne Wick Anna Kirner Mae Watson

Dist. No. 21 - Clay Co.
Spencer 28, Spencer
Sadie Anderson
Esther Herrick PNG
Mildred Nutting
Genevieve Hyndman
Doris Anderson
Viola Batchelder PNG
Ella Carr

Dist. 23 - Clinton Co. Silver Lining 82, DeWitt Melba Clark, PNG
Clinton 13, Clinton
Charlotte Hill PNG
Bro. Sam Williams
Leona Hunecke PNG
Bro. John W. Smith
Florence Stuedemann PNG
Valinda Madsen PNG
Dorothy Goenne PNG
Mary Anderson
Florence Plogg
Grand Mound 513, Grand Mound
Nellie Huntington PNG

Dist. No. 24 - Crawford Co. Dennison 420, Dennison Maude Watson PNG B. Jean Metcalf PNG

Dist. No. 25, Dallas Co.
Sunbeam 73, Adel
Golda Long PNG
Bess Huffman PNG
Venus 160, Redfield
Sis. Bethel Baker PNG
Edna 263, Perry
Bertha Bryant
Iva Stoner
Eden 126, Linden
Dessie Marlenee PNG

Dist. No. 26, Davis Co.
Bloomfield 1, Bloomfield
Bro. Vint York
Floe York PNG
Vera Pottorff
Pearl Fouts

Dist. No. 27, Decatur Co. Equal Rights 419, Leon Andra Hill Fulton Mildred Jenkins PNG Friendship 235, Decatur Jessie Nigley

Dist. No. 28, Delaware Co. Crescent 142, Manchester Bessie Bunker Eva Cloud PNG Dora Sloan

Dist. No. 29, Des Moines Co.

Paul Caster 348, Burlington Mabel Fry PNG Bell 17, Sperry Bro. Henry Ellerhoff PNG

Dist. No. 30, Dickinson Co.
Silver Star 431, Lake Park
Sadie Weaver PNG
Veda Myrick
Agnes Goodno PNG
Spirit Lake 447, Spirit Lake
Frances M. Varner PNG

Dist. No. 32, Emmett Co. Bonanza 435, Armstrong Wilmot Edwards

Dist. No. 33, Fayette Co.
West Union 97, West Union
Julia Ostrander PNG
Ina Monroe
Bro. R.M. Brause
Jefferson 74, Oelwein
Blanche Storms PNG
Nellie Mae Roe
Gertrude Johnson PNG

Dist. 34, Floyd Co. Cedar Valley 226, Charles City Gertrude Frankenfield

Dist. No. 35 - Franklin Co. White Lily 137, Sheffield Vera Timmerman PNG Rosella 177, Hampton Edith Menning Addie Hansen Bro. Chris Schumacher

Dist. No. 36 - Freemont Co. Hamburg 88, Hamburg Verah Medford Eva Baker PNG Josephine Moore PNG Randolph 368, Randolph Ethel Tyner PNG

Dist. No. 37 - Green Co. Ariel 60, Scranton Alcesta Goodrich PNG Velma Robson PNG Bethuel 83, Churdan
Bro. Bruce Harriott
Bro. George Rees
Grand Junction 448, Grand Jct.
Elizabeth Henry PNG
Ella Rice
Jennie Martin
Alice Blue 414, Rippey
Cheri Fauch
Beulah Lodge 24, Jefferson
Clara M. Barnes

Dist. No. 38 - Grundy Co.
Elizabeth 444, Reinbeck
Wapka Lautterbach
Julia Martinson
Grant 305, Dike
Helga Andersen
Bro. Elmer P. Tobias
Beaman 554, Beaman
Helen Alexander PNG
Mildred Parkin PNG

Dist. No. 39 - Guthrie Co.
Mizpah 92, Guthrie Center
Emma Hogelin PNG
Betty Courtney PNG
Charity Dove PNG
Bro. Fred Schoonover
Columbus 6, Stuart
Mayme Eversull PNG
Bro. Robert Alexander
Bagley 432, Bagley
Edrie Hoyt PNG
Marion Vauglan

Dist. No. 40 - Hamilton Co. Gold Leaf 107, Blairsburg Edna Dinsdale

Dist. No. 41 - Hancock Co. Charity 334, Britt Lida Marrow Romona Lundgren

Dist. No. 42 - Hardin Co. Averine 196, Iowa Falls Bro. Fred Hall Florence Guse Theo. Benda Zola Hansen PNG Eldora 144, Eldora Eva Warman Pink 426, Ackley Alice Greenfield PNG Grace Meyer PNG

Dist. No. 43 - Harrison Co.
Golden Crown 8, Dunlap
Nettie Ward Gorham PNG
Lillian 20, Missouri Valley
Ada Smith
Eleanor 164 Woodbine
Flossie Blackman
Bro. Leonard Walker

Dist. No. 44 - Henry Co.
Safety 409, New London
Bro. Emmett Jacobs
Bertha McNeil
Crystal 45, Mt. Pleasant
Gladys Meehle PNG
Lillian Mauch
Jessie Newton PNG

Dist. No. 45 - Howard Co. Cresco 284, Cresco Edith Olson PNG

Dist. No. 46 - Humboldt Co. Humboldt 200, Humboldt Anna Wilson PNG Lottie Rollins PNG Martha Wendle PNG

Dist. No. 47 - Ida Co. Maple River 565, Galva Bro. Guy Babcock

Dist. No. 48 - Iowa Co.
Marengo 320, Marengo
Iva Beardshear
Aberdena Brown PNG
Iowa 355, North English
Alice Van Auken PNG
Ruby 161, Victor
Mabel Haag, PNG
Pearl Chittenden PNG

Dist. No. 49 - Jackson Co. Bee Hive 180, Sabula Mary Kiehl Pope 136, Maquoketa Ella McCarron Mary Marousis Lena Holtz Miles 204, Miles Marian Schroeder PNG Elsie Horst

Dist No. 50 - Jasper Co. Excelsior 470, Prairie City Ben Thompson

Dist. No. 51 - Jefferson Co.
Hawkeye 386, Fairfield
Sis. Blaine Kirkpatrick
Bessie Berry
Mabel Garmoe
Bro. Frank Rizor
Fairfield 96, Fairfield
Vera Talbott, PNG
Lorena Dallner
Eula Hardaway PNG

Dist. No. 52 - Johnson Co. Iowa City 416, Iowa City Clarice Ambrose Roy Hanshew Carnation 376, Iowa City Blanche Phippen Sara Michener Eleanor Seening **Hazel Paintin** Oxford 410, Oxford Helen Hummer Sun Flower 476, Salon Josie Brown Hukill 94, Lone Tree Genevieve Bell Bro. Fred Lenz **Ethel Hardcastle**

Dist. No. 54 - Keokuk Co.
Emerald 152, Keota
Daisy Chambers PNG
Amy Williams PNG
Anna White PNG
Nora Shutz
Sigourney 262, Sigourney
Marie Spiess PNG
Margaret Barlow PNG
Bro H.S. Davis

Dist. No. 55 - Kossuth Co. Algona 365, Algona

Ethel Hain

Dist. No. 56 - Lee Co.

Empress 364, Ft. Madison
Mayme Jones PNG
Bertha Heying PNG
Bessie Shearer PNG
Grace Lange PNG
Tinny S. Pratt
Colfax 4, Keokuk
Lura Ball PNG
Alberta Jester PNG
Marjorie Evans PNG

Dist No. 57 - Linn Co. Praha 5, Cedar Rapids Agnes Klaubec PNG Rose Klinger Bro. Wm. C. Hach Anna Platz Sadie Bullicek Bro. Ed Hach Star of Maine 221, Cedar Rapids Lena D. Borschel PNG Esther L. Carstens PNG Bess Jane Ferris Home 79, Cedar Rapids Norvella Ellis PNG Verna Baker PNG Bro. Lowell Davis Anna Thomas PNG Florence Guess Cedar 494, Cedar Rapids Jane Ceynar PNG Mary Anderson PNG Springville 99, Springville LaVon Timms PNG Bessie Dudek Ely 56, Ely Frances B. See Katherine Netalichy Bro. Monroe Hemmengway

Dist. No. 58, Louisa Co.
Silver Leaf 394, Columbus Jct.
Hazel Belle Billings PNG
Bessie S. Lee PNG
Jennie W. Blake PNG
Jessie June Kistler PNG

Derexa 129, Wapello Edith Barrick

Edith Reutinger

Dist. No. 59 - Lucas Co. Chariton 33, Chariton Icyle Parsons Lottie Wagaman PNG Ada Swim

Dist. No. 60 - Lyon Co. Zilpha 49, Rock Rapids Eva Sater PNG

Dist. 61 - Madison Co. Crown 360, Winterset Maude Wright Lillion Smith Hawkeye 350, Macksburg Bro. Robert Pierson

Dist. No. 62 - Mahaska Co. Oskaloosa 16, Oskaloosa Elizabeth Barcus PNG Rose Hill 526, Rose Hill Theresa Kirk PNG

Dist. No. 63 - Marion Co. Marion 70, Knoxville Bro. Everett Loynachan

Dist. No. 64 - Marshall Co.
Marshall 40, Marshalltown
Zora Hensley PNG
Emma Mitchem
Emily Overturf PNG
Bro. Morris Vladyka
Grumme 460, Liscomb
Maxine Galloway
Myrtle Gould PNG
Bro. W.J. Thurber
Rhodes 362, Rhodes
Pearl Van Doran PNG
Irene Shenke PNG
Delilah 61, State Center

Dist. No. 67 - Monona Co. Elise 222, Onawa Susie Rutledge PNG

Lucille Streeter PNG

Dist. No. 68 - Monroe Co. Albia 323, Albia Elizabeth Elwood Dist. No. 69 - Montgomery Co. Faith 174, Red Oak Hattie Halbert PNG Ethel Clark Clara Lindner PNG Bro. Ellis Robison Centennial 556, Villisca Cora Beavers PNG

Dist. No. 70 - Muscatine Co.
Miriam 27, Muscatine
Nola Bauguess PNG
Myrtle Luellen
Bro. August Otto
Adah 123, West Liberty
Hattie Owens PNG
Emma Cree PNG
Emma Rabe PNG
Walter 516, Wilton Jct.
Ada Lincoln PNG
Frances Kelley PNG

Dist. No. 71 - O'Brien Co.
Fidelia 36, Sheldon
Nelle Hudson Weaver PNG
Genevieve 154, Hartley
Laura Schivein
Clara Patton PNG

Dist. No. 73 - Page Co.
Nishna Valley 166, Shenandoah
Genevieve Howard
Bro. Andy J. Groothins
Clarinda 317, Clarinda
Blanche Hanson

Dist. No. 74 - Palo Alto Co. West Bend 511, West Bend Petrea Christensen Margaret Dormeiler

Dist. No. 76 - Pocahontas Co. Scarlet 42, Pocahontas Dollie Staecker PNG Rolfe 125, Rolfe Mary Thompson Silver Link 536, Fonda Bertha Hersom PNG

Dist No. 77 - Polk Co. Alpha 572, Des Moines Grace James Minnie Jellison PNG

Elda Booken PNG Ferne Vance **Nellie Dewey** Sweet Brier 188, Des Moines Vira Reynolds, PNG & P Pres. Reb. Assy. Mayme Hockett Mae Hellburg PNG Cora Bentler Willa Linder Columbian 181, Des Moines Bro. Emory Day Bro. Howard Prettyman **Bro.** Chester Lyons Minnie Skelton PNG Bertha Davidson John Allen Royce Merrill Amaryllis 81, West Des Moines Bro. James Ritter Arlene Denny Acme 128, Des Moines Flora Gunson

Daisy Samp PNG
Irene Sylvester PNG
Mercy 215, Des Moines
Mildred Maland PNG
Alma Freel PNG
Garcia 425, Mitchellville
Dr. L.E. Ragon

Golden Star 352, Des Moines

Dist. No. 78 - Pottawattamie Co.
Council Bluffs 3, Council Bluffs
Gladys Andersen PNG
Laura Snodgrass PNG
Hattie Sippley PNG
Frances Phillips
Grace Barton
Unity 388, Council Bluffs
Opal Bailey
Reatha Powell PNG
Evelyn Abrahamson
Iola 600, Minden
Laura Lund PNG

Dist. No. 79 - Poweshiek Co. Grinnell 119, Grinnell Alma Ruth Bergstresser PNG Bro. Cecil Myers Bro. Raymond White Bro. Harold Schultz Holly 309, Searsboro
Mollie Caylor
Bro. John McDowell
Mabel McDowell PNG
Gwendolyn Wright PNG
Deborah 202, Brooklyn
Bertha Hall
Anna Ormington PNG
Melinda Dee PNG
Vashti 113, Montezuma
Emma Groenenbaum PNG
Bro. James B. McCormick
Poweshiek 67, Malcolm
Clara Carson PNG
Elizabeth McClure PNG

Dist. No. 80 - Ringgold Co. Magdalene 520, Mt. Ayr Mildred Kaster Ellston 540, Ellston Hazel Reed

Dist No. 81 - Sac Co.
Odebolt 336, Odebolt
Pearl Sorensen
Imogene 259, Sac City
Edwin Gustafson
Maude Hines PNG
Lorene Gustafson
Marion Wever
Leona Coates
Pond Lily 19, Lake View
Gladys Sweeter PNG
Luella Stark

Dist. No. 82 - Scott Co. Echo 104, Princeton Bro. Homer Bruner

Dist. No. 83 - Shelley Co. Zenabia 286, Harlan Inger Jensen Norma Wilcox Hazel Yackey PNG

Dist. No. 85 - Story Co. Nevada 234, Nevada Leora Bullock Ethel Dillin PNG Marion 108, Ames Rosa Mott PNG

Dist. No. 90 - Wapello Co.

Enterprise 132, Ottumwa Barbara Schaub PNG Olive & Oak 455, Agency Cecil Block Myrah 41, Ottumwa Emily Penrod PNG

Dist. No. 91 - Warren Co. Indianola 111, Indianola Charlotte Perry PNG Joy Powell Rainbow 277, Lacoma Leora Needles PNG

Dist. No. 92 - Washington Co. Wellman 391, Wellman Ethel Schultz Opal Bichford Elizabeth Wright PNG

Dist. No. 93 - Wayne Co.
Miawa 146, Humeston
Freda Baker PNG
Abbie Abel
Ruth Ann Miller PNG
Fidelity 272, Lineville
Ellen Bryan, PNG
Lone Tree 379, Seymour
Hazel Davis
Elizabeth Bates PNG
Alice Weist
Lizzie Kincade
Bethany 566, Corydon
Inez McElfish

Dist. No. 94 - Webster Co.

Bon Ami 280, Fort Dodge
Weltha Winters PNG
Bro. W. Ralph Brown PNG
Ballantyne 238, Otho
Viola Heatherington PNG
Webster 85, Gowrie
Gladys Hasty PNG
Ruth Simpson PNG
Josie Redman PNG
Alta Stewart PNG

Dist. No. 95 - Winnebago Co. Northern Light 344, Forest City Nettie Sime

Dist. No. 96 - Winneshiek Co. Oneota 175, Decorah Matilda O. Bryant PNG

Dist. No. 97 - Woodbury Co. Paradise 265, Sioux City Mildred Anderson Clara Carey PNG

Dist No. 98 - Worth Co.
Royal Blue 240, Manly
Betty Lou Wilder
Mathilda Varhamih PNG
Martha Purcell PNG

Dist. No. 99 - Wright Co.
Marietta 501, Clarion
Bro. Harry Poundston
Bro. Selmer Anderson
Dorothy Terwilliger
Dorothy Duer PNG
Golden Rod 162, Belmond
Bro. Leslie Smith
Junietta 185, Eagle Grove
Eleanor Cooke, PNG
Blanche Knight PNG

Announced open house in the hotel for President Elizabeth, Vice President Lylas Haydon, Warden and Warden Elect.

CLOSING CEREMONIES

The Assembly Chaplain approached the altar and gave the closing prayer. The Color Bearer, Marshall and Conductor retired with the flag of our country. The Vice President upon instruction from the President declared the Session closed until 8:30 Friday morning.

The President declared it closed accordingly.

The President then asked that all remain seated until after the Gift Presentation to the Elective Officers.

GIFT PRESENTATION

The gift presentation was under the direction of Past President Marjorie Hefte. Marjorie's sweet little granddaughter presented the gifts. Each officer was escorted to a chair in front of the podium. As each officer was introduced and greeted by Marjorie, the little girl, dressed as little "Miss Ruth", came forward ever so slowly to present the gifts. A picture was taken of each officer and the little girl posed very graciously.

Friday Morning

The Assembly reconvened at 8:30 a.m. with the Past Presidents again escorting the officers and forming the letter E for Elizabeth. Soft, pleasant piano music was played by Mary Shafer and each officer and committee member was presented a gift from the President, taken to their seat in the Assembly. The Assembly was called to order with A.I. Fitzsimmons, Past Grand Master and the Father of our Assembly President, presenting the gavel.

The Assembly was then opened in ritualistic form. The Vice President under direction of the President, declared the Assembly open for business. The President declared it open accordingly.

Report from Dorothy Porter — \$200 had been taken in from the sale of items made by people in the Home.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

The Deputy Sovereign Grand Master Brandt from Minnesota and Jennie Sue Pearson Warden of I.A.R.A. from Maryland were introduced and given the Honors. The Deputy Sovereign Gand Master spoke briefly and said the youth who attend the United Nations Pilgrimage, even though they may not join our lodges, they've enjoyed the venture.

The Warden of I.A.R.A. gave President Reese's program. She said they will again have the Go Get Her Club and a "Calling for Coins", 10 cents a member, and if your lodge does this they'll receive a certificate of merit.

PRESENTATION

The messenger presented Nina Fitzsimmons, the President's Assembly Mother and her own mother, A.I. Fitzsimmons, Past Grand Master and the President's father. Mary Shafer and President sang a duet to their parents. "Silver haired parents of Ours." The Honors were given to A.I.

JURISDICTIONAL REPORT

Report of activities of other jurisdictional lodges was given by the Assembly Warden. She moved the adoption of her report. Seconded by Veneta Reeves, District No. 25. Adopted.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

The pleasant and interesting duty, as Warden of this Assembly, of reviewing the journals from other jurisdictions has truly given to me a bountiful harvest of inspiration and "food for thought."

I received journals from Arizonia (2), California, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts (2), Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Maritime Provinces of Canada, Ontario, Quebec, and Saskatchewan—a total of forty-one.

It gives one such a feeling of satisfaction to read of Rebekahs all over this great country of ours and in Canada carrying on with the same aim and purpose in mind to advance the work of Rebekah - Odd Fellowship. It is most interesting to note the various ways our work is carried out in other jurisdictions, also.

Our total world membership of Rebekahs as of December 31, 1969, was 438,162 in 6643 lodges. This does seem like a large number, but it is sad to know that there is a loss of membership in most every jurisdiction. I read of only three states reporting a gain in membership: Virginia with 58; Mississippi with a gain of 4 and New Mexico gained 3, and Quebec, Canada, had a gain of 8. This should

admonish us to begin to earnestly strive for new members in our Order.

With membership in mind, we need to encourage our youth. As of December 31, 1969, we had 526 Theta Rho Girls Clubs with a membership of 13,380. In some states, the girls have their Theta Rho Assemblies the same as we Rebekahs, and their proceedings are printed in the journals. In North Carolina, each Rebekah is requested to give \$1.00 for youth work. Ohio's slogan for youth was: "If we are successful in our example, tomorrow is assured."

The United Nations tours continue to be a great asset which we as Rebekahs and Odd Fellows can contribute to, and after hearing a young girl or boy give a report on a tour and tell what this trip has meant to them, doesn't it give you a feeling of satisfaction to know you may have helped in some small way to give to them understanding and strength they will need for the future.

In some states our District Deputy Presidents are recognized at Assemblies, and have much more to do than we do in Iowa. Various journals carry reports of each lodge in the jurisdiction which are written by either the delegate or the district deputy of the district which the lodge is in.

A few Assemblies hold joint installation ceremonies with the Grand Lodges, and some of their presentation and opening ceremonies are held with both the brothers and sisters taking part.

Community Service projects are carried out in numerous ways showing to the world we live up to our teachings by helping the sick, comforting the distressed and helping in any way we can.

The Eye Bank continues to be one of the projects to which we contribute with Saskatchewan, Canada, striving to raise \$12,000 to help purchase equipment for advancement of the program.

All jurisdictions contribute to our I.O.O.F. Homes and Orphans Homes, this, of course, being one of our main objects and purposes.

I was amazed to read of the number of Assemblies where the officers are nominated and elected from the floor at the session. Somehow I am inclined to favor our system here giving each member of our Order an opportunity to vote. An interesting note to me was that in Ontario, Canada, twenty-two sisters were nominated for Warden and eliminated until one sister received the necessary vote for election.

In some states, the Assembly Presidents visits every lodge; in others the state is divided in three sections with the President, Vice - President and Warden visiting each lodge in her section and then changing each year so by the time the sister has completed her term as President, she has visited each lodge in her state. This is no doubt a great help in states with a large number of lodges.

The Certificates for the Unwritten Work are issued in different ways, in some the President issues all of them, in others the District Deputys and in many, like ours, the delegates hear the Work. It seems, perhaps, that there is much room for improvement in perfecting our Unwritten Work. Let's strive toward this goal.

Each President presented her program very interestingly. It was a pleasure to read each one.

Some of the emblems were as ours, the Emblems of our Order, with many used individually, the Holy Bible, The Altar, the bluebird, the scroll with musical notes, and many others with two unusual ones being "Diamonds — for the 75th year of Rebekahs" for that state and the other being the "Dogwood Plant" in honor of the President's home state.

Most of the programs included mottos or slogans and a couple of these impressed me — "Add smiles and subtract jealousy for the good of our Order" and "It's what we learn after we know it all that counts."

One President appoints an Assembly nurse along with her other appointments, and I am sure she could be of great help during

Assembly time.

I was interested to note, also, that Arizona is building a large apartment home for the senior citizens of the Order, and we, too, have that here in Iowa, on a small scale, with the remodeling of part of an unused section of a building and making it into four lovely apartments at our I.O.O.F. Home in Mason City.

An item printed in the front of nearly every journal urged that the lodge secretary, district deputy or other member read aloud a portion of the journal each meeting. The answers to the majority of questions and situations that arise regularly in our lodges can be found in the journals. Keep them available in your lodge rooms.

It has been a privilege to bring you this report, which is just a mere glance at the endeavors of our brothers and sisters of these many jurisdictions, but with the united efforts of us all working together our

Order will reap a bountiful harvest all over the world.

Fraternally submitted,

Maxine Hackbarth, Warden Rebekah Assembly of Iowa

We had recess and the messenger presented the President's husband. He spoke briefly and then retired. Assembly came to order.

COURTESY COMMITTEE EXPENSE

Report of this committee was given by Assembly Secretary who moved it be referred to the Finance Committee. Seconded by Edith Sawyer, District No. 17. Carried.

Reported that Grand Lodge accepted all our legislation.

I.A.R.A. REPORT

Assembly Secretary moved her report be accepted, not read, but put in the Journal. Seconded by DeWilda Roe, District No. 15. Carried.

REPORT

To The Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly, Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Iowa:

I am happy I have been given the privilege of once again attending the sessions of the International Association of Rebekah Assembly Secretaries, which were held in connection with the International Association of Rebekah Assemblies.

In giving this report I will not give any of the business or transactions of the International Association of Rebekah Assemblies, although I attended every session. As our Representative, Sister Marjorie was on hand every morning bright and early taking notes and was there when the gavel was rapped to close the session and as she has given you a very fine report I shall not say more only that Iowa should be very proud of Sister Marjorie as she served as Chairman of the State of the Order Committee and did a very fine job, she never missed a thing as you can tell by her report.

I must not forget Sister Frances Simpson Past President who served as Guardian of the I.A.R.A. and Iowa is also very proud of this Sister.

On Sunday afternoon in the Bay Shore Inn the Vice President Sister Mildred Meyers of Wisconsin held an open house for the Secretary's, a time of getting acquainted with new Secretaries and renewing old friendships over a cup of coffee. At this meeting we elected Sister Meyers to serve as our President for the session as our President from Ohio passed away during the year.

Monday noon was the luncheon for all Secretaries, Grand Secretaries and Grand Scribes at the Hotel Van Couver, this is always a delight to meet all of the Secretaries and Scribes. Our speaker at this luncheon was our Sovereign Grand Secretary, A. Ford Winters who talked to us about supplies.

The Secretaries have a special place to sit at tables where we can hear what is going on and are able to write in the sessions of the I.A.R.A. Our Secretary's meetings were held each afternoon at 3:30 P.M.

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday mornings the Secretaries gave the legislation pertaining to Rebekah Lodges and if it was approved or rejected as this is the Secretary's part of the I.A.R.A.

There were many Secretaries at our afternoon sessions besides a few Past Secretaries who keep their dues paid and are still members of the Association.

Our meetings were most interesting this year and we do learn a great deal from other Secretaries as to how the work is carried on in other States. I found out that many Secretaries only send out one report a year, most all Jurisdictions have a Home Tax and every Secretary is having the same trouble with their lodges in making out reports correctly for the Internal Revenue.

Wednesday morning was our Secretaries breakfast in the Stanley Room of the Bay Shore Inn with many guests present. This is the morning when we exchange souvenirs and receive our gifts from our mystery friends and also draw for new mystery friends for the coming year. The I.A.R.A. officers are always our special guests.

Time does not permit me to give all of the details of these splendid meetings but I enjoy every minute spent with the Secretaries and do learn a great deal as to how work pertaining to my office is carried on in other Jurisdictions.

The Secretaries Association gave \$25.00 to the Educational Foundation Fund in memory of five Secretaries who had passed away during the year.

Our officers were installed on Thursday afternoon in a very

impressive ceremony. Each officer's escort was their Assembly President or a Past President.

Iowa also has another person to be very proud of as our own Grand Secretary, Brother Berle J. Starr was appointed Public Relations Director for the Sovereign Grand Lodge, a very fine appointment to a mighty fine Grand Secretary.

My very grateful thanks to this Assembly for the privilege of attending the Assembly Secretaries Association. I feel it is very worth while and I do receive a great deal of benefit from the contacts with

these co-workers.

Sincerely and Fraternally,

Vivian Nelson, Assembly Secretary

ADVISORY BOARD REPORT

Lucile Shanda P.P. moved her report be accepted and placed in the Journal. Seconded by Edith Waddell, District No. 16. Adopted.

REPORT Printed with the Officers Report.

Assembly Secretary moved the gratuity bill be allowed to be referred to the finance committee though it may be not quite completed. Seconded by Evelyn Dairs, District No. 5. Carried.

BOARD OF INSTRUCTION REPORT

Chariman of the Committee, Edna Ward, gave her report and moved for adoption of same. Seconded by Helen Modlen, District No. 38. Carried.

REPORT

To the Officers and members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

Total commissions issued this year	2363
Total Lodges on Honor Roll	269
Total District on the Honor Roll	74
Total Effie Graham Honor Roll	49
During this session	
Delegates	87
Past Noble Grands	8
Past Presidents	1

I have thoroughly enjoyed this year as Chairman of the Board of Instruction. I attended many conventions and recited the unwritten work whenever called upon. Thank you Sister Elizabeth for asking me to serve.

I also want to thank Sisters Lucile Sheets and Cleola Schamber for assisting with issuing commissions to the delegates.

Fraternally submitted

Edna Ward, Chairman Board of Instruction

Commisstions in the Unwritten Work

*Denotes Lodge on the Honor Roll	** Denotes District on Honor Roll
** District No. 1 - Adair Co.	
* Martha No. 37, Greenfield	5
* Cora No. 143, Fontanelle	5
** District No. 3 - Allamakee Co.	· ·
* Post 48, Postville	6
*Central Star 403, Rossville	5
** District No. 4 - Appanoose Co.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
*Welcome 91, Moulton	13
* Anna 95, Centerville	6
* Mystic 255, Mystic	4
* Moravia 404, Moravia	$\hat{6}$
**District No. 5 - Audubon Co.	· ·
*Audubon 459, Audubon	11
District No. 6 - Benton Co.	
*Sincere 59, Belle Plaine	12
*Orion 63, Shellsburg	10
Garrison 75, Garrison	4
* Mt. Auburn 496, Mt. Auburn	5
District No. 7 - Black Hawk Co.	
Temple 54, Waterloo	15
*Happy Thought 256, Cedar Falls	17
*Thistle 261, La Porte City	12
*Dorcas 564, Hudson	6
**District No. 8 - Boone Co.	
*Victoria 101, Ogden	6
*Boone 301, Boone	15
* Madrid 487, Madrid	16
** District No. 9 - Bremer Co.	16
* Bremer 98, Sumner	6
* Shamrock 296, Janesville	22
District No. 10 - Buchanan Co.	<i>22</i>
* Lillium 25, Independence	15
Heliotrope 366, Brandon	0
** District No. 11 - Buena Vista Co.	•
* Storm Lake 205, Storm Lake	20
* Buena Vista 258, Newell	8
* Marathon 437, Marathon	5
** District No. 12 - Butler Co.	
* Anchor 46, New Hartford	5
*Zora 189, Shell Rock	8
*Inspiration 324, Dumont	4
*Clarkavilla 522 Clarkavilla	

** District No. 13 - Calhoun Co.	
*Star 30, Lake City	
*Farnham ville 109, Farnham ville	
*Zerah 210, Rockwell City	
*Lincoln 278, Lohrville	1
**District No. 14 - Carroll Co.	
* Golden Link 10, Coon Rapids	
*Central 191, Carroll	
**District No. 15 - Cass Co.	
*Lotus 87, Atlantic	1
* Griswold 480, Griswold	
**District No. 16, Cedar Co.	
*Helping Hand 517, Tipton	1
**District No. 17 - Cerro Gordo Co.	1
*Tina 105, Clear Lake	1
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*Queen 106, Mason City	2
*San Juan 418, Plymouth	•
** District No. 18 - Cherokee Co.	4
*Diadem 372, Cherokee	1
*Washta 373, Washta	1
*Larrabee 590, Larrabee	
** District No. 19 - Chickasaw Co.	
* Nashua 505, Nashua	1
* Golden Palace 578, New Hampton	
District No. 20 - Clarke Co.	
Sarah 57, Osceola	-
Esther 138, Murray	
** District No. 21 - Clay Co.	
*Spencer 28, Spencer	1
*Silver Maple 283, Royal	
District No. 22 - Clayton Co.	
Josephine 7, Guttenburg	
Strawberry 34, Strawberry Point	
** District No. 23 - Clinton Co.	
* Clinton 13, Clinton	2
* Silver Lining 82, DeWitt	
* Low Moor 102, Low Moor	
* Grand Mound 513, Grand Mound	
District No. 24 - Crawford Co.	
Dennison 420, Dennison	
** District No. 25 - Dallas Co.	
*Sunbeam 73, Adel	
*Eden 126, Linden	
*Venus 160, Redfield	'
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*Eva Ann 197, Dexter	
*Ednah 263, Perry ** District No. 26 Davis Co.	18
** District No. 26 - Davis Co.	_
* Bloomfield 1, Bloomfield	2
* Troy Union 510, Troy	
** District No. 27 - Decatur Co.	
* Friendship 235, Decatur	
* Equal Rights 419, Leon	12

REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	169
* District * lo. 28 - Delaware Co.	
*Crescent 142, Manchester	10
*Colesburg 428, Colesburg	4
*Maple 519, Greeley	2
*Delhi 595, Delhi	2
District No. 29 - Des Moines Co.	
Ruth 12, Burlington	0
*Belle 17, Sperry	5
*Paul Caster 348, Burlington	5
District No. 30 - Dickinson Co.	
* Silver Star 431, Lake Park	11
Spirit Lake 447, Spirit Lake	0
District No. 31 - Dubuque Co.	•
Dubuque 173, Dubuque	0
** District No. 32 - Emmett Co.	7
*Harmony 55, Estherville	7 9
*Bonanza 435, Armstrong **District No. 33 - Fayette Co.	9
* Jefferson 74, Oelwein	14
* Starlight 80, Alpha	2
*West Union 97, West Union	8
* Arlington 328, Arlington	6
** District No. 34 - Floyd Co.	
* Cedar Valley 226, Charles City	12
* Nora Springs 483, Nora Springs	9
** District No. 35 - Franklin Co.	
* White Lily 137, Sheffield	6
* Rosella 177, Hampton	11
** District No. 36 - Fremont Co.	
* Hamburg 88, Hamburg	0
Cornelia 252, Riverton	0
Randolph 368, Randolph	0
**District No. 37 - Greene Co.	
*Beulah 24, Jefferson	7
*Ariel 60, Scranton	10
*Bethuel 83, Churdan	9
*Farlin 411, Farlin	3
*Alice Blue 414, Rippey	13
*Grand Junction 448, Grand Junction	13
**District No. 38 - Grundy Co.	7
*Grant 305, Dike	7
*Sunset 353, Grundy Center *Elizabeth 444, Reinbeck	8 5
*Beaman 554, Beaman	4
**District No. 39 - Guthrie Co.	4
*Columbia 6, Stuart	12
*Mizpah 92, Guthrie Center	20
*Bagley 432, Bagley	13
* Menlo 547, Menlo	7
*Oak Leaf 580, Casey	7
*District No. 40 - Hamilton Co.	
**Purity 72, Webster City	13
*Gold Leaf 107, Blairsburg	6

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* Oriole 421, Jewell	6
*District No. 41 - Hancock Co.	
*Loyalty 217, Garner	5
*Golden Glow 218, Kanawha	5
*Charity 334, Britt	12
**District No. 42 - Hardin Co.	
*Eldora 144, Eldora	6
*Daffodil 193, Union	6
*Averine 196, Iowa Falls	15
*Pink 426, Ackley	5
**District No. 43 - Harrison Co.	
*Golden Crown 8, Dunlap	6
*Lillian 20, Missouri Valley	6
*Mary 141, Logan	9
*Eleanor 164, Woodbine	8
**District No. 44 - Henry Co.	
*Crystal 45, Mount Pleasant	10
*Safety 409, New London	11
**District No. 46 - Humboldt Co.	
*Renwick 473, Renwick	3
*Humboldt 200, Humboldt	11
**District No. 47 - Ida Co.	
*Ida Grove 264, Ida Grove	15
*Oak 361, Battle Creek	2
*Maple River 565, Galva	8
*District No. 48 - Iowa Co.	
*Ruby 161, Victor	9
*Marengo 320, Marengo	8
*Iowa 355, North English	10
*Williamsburg 367, Williamsburg	6
**District No. 49 - Jackson Co.	
*Fulton 100, Fulton	4
*Pope 136, Maquoketa	10
*Home Charity 156, Preston	3
*Beehive 180, Sabula	4
* Miles 204, Miles	4
** District No. 50 - Jasper Co.	
*Eureka 52, Monroe	4
* Margaret 237, Newton	19
*Excelsior 470, Prairie City	6
**District No. 51 - Jefferson Co.	
* Fairfield 96, Fairfield	9
*Hawkeye 386, Fairfield	7
*Salina 599, Salina	4
**District No. 52 - Johnson Co.	
*Carnation 376, Iowa city	21
*Oxford 410, Oxford	6
*Iowa City 416, Iowa City	13
*Sunflower 476, Solon	3
*Hukill 594, Lone Tree	20
**District No. 53 - Jones Co.	
*Evangeline 31, Anamosa	
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	REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	171
	*Loyal 306, Monticello	4
1	**District No. 54 - Keokuk Co.	
	*Emerald 152, Keota	8
	*Sigourney 262, Sigourney	11
¥	*District No. 55 - Kossuth Co.	
	*Maple Grove 117, Wesley	4
	*Algona 365, Algona	7
	District No. 56	
	Colfax 4, Keokuk	5
	*Good Hope 267, Wever	4
	*Empress 364, Fort Madison	12
*	** District No. 57 - Linn Co.	
	*Willow 398, Troy Mills	3
	* Evergreen 149, Springville	7
	*Star of Maine 221, Cedar Rapids	14
	*Cedar 494, Cedar Rapids	6
	*Springville 99, Springville	6
	* Praha 5, Cedar Rapids	24
	* Grove City 35, Marion	9
	* Ely 56, Ely	13
	*Home 79, Cedar Rapids	9
	*Hill City 359, Mount Vernon	9
	*District No. 58 - Louisa Co.	
	*Derexa 129, Wapello	10
	*Silver Leaf 394, Columbus Junction	6
7	** District No. 59 - Lucas Co.	
	*Chariton 33, Chariton	10
	District No. 60 - Lyons Co.	
	Zilpha 49, Rock Rapids	0
	District No. 61 - Madison Co.	
	* Marguerite 233, Earlham	6
	*Hawthorne 350, Macksburg	7
	Crown 360, Winterset	2
	District No. 62 - Mahaska Co.	~
	*Oskaloosa 16, Oskaloosa	5
	*Clio 182, New Sharon	6
	Rose Hill 527, Rose Hill	1
	**District No. 63 - Marion Co.	4
	*Mistletoe 38, Hamilton	4
	*Isadore 239, Bussey *Marion 70, Knoxville	4
	**District No. 64 - Marshall Co.	16
ľ	** Marshall 40, Marshalltown	22
	*Delilah 61, State Center	
	*Concordia 295, Marshalltown	9
	*Rhodes 362, Rhodes	9
	*Grumme 460, Liscomb	8
,	*** District No. 65 - Mills Co.	
	*Riverview 442, Hastings	2
	*Woodland 552, Glenwood	13
*	* *District No. 67 - Monona Co.	
	*Maple View 53, Castana	5
	*Maple Valley 212, Mapleton	4

* Elise 222, Onawa	
* Ember 486, Rodney	
** District No. 68 - Monroe Co.	
*Albia 323, Albia	10
*Winona 545, Lovilia	5
**District No. 69 - Montgomery Co.	
*Centennial 556, Villisca	· ·
*Faith 174, Red Oak	16
**District No. 70 - Muscatine Co.	
*Miriam 27, Muscatine	12
*Adah 123, West Liberty	15
**District No. 71 - O'Brien Co.	
* Fidelia 36, Sheldon	5
*Genevieve 154, Hartley	4
* Mary Tifft 335, Sanborn	
*Locke 430, Primghar	
** District No. 73 - Page Co.	44
*Nishna Valley 166, Shenandoah	13
* Clarinda 317, Clarinda	8
District No. 74 - Palo Alto Co.	
Graettinger 417, Graettinger	
West Bend 511, West Bend	
District No. 75 - Plymouth Co.	
Plymouth Starr 225, Kingsley	
** District No. 76 - Pocahontas Co.	
*Scarlet 42, Pocahontas	7
* Rolfe 125, Rolfe	•
*Silver Link 536, Fonda	
* Busy Bee 598, Havelock	
** District No. 77 - Polk Co.	
*Acme 128, Des Moines	14
*May Henry 165, Bondurant	5
*Columbian 181, Des Moines	26
* Amaryllis 81, West Des Moines	29
* Mercy 215, Des Moines	13
*Garcia 425, Mitchelville	10
*Ideal 493, Ankeny	14
* Mayflower 172, Des Moines	
*Sweet Brier 188, Des Moines	15
* Golden Star 352, Des Moines	12
* Alpha 572, Des Moines	13
** District No. 78 - Pottawattamie Co.	
* Council Bluffs 3, Council Bluffs	11
* Iola 600, Minden	1
* Oakland 65, Oakland	4
* Unity 388, Council Bluffs	14
** District No. 79 - Poweshiek Co.	1
** Poweshiek 67, Malcom	
•	6
* Vashti 113, Montezuma	10
* Grinnell 119, Grinnell	19
* Deborah 202, Brooklyn	
* Holly 309, Searsboro	
** District No. 80 - Ringgold Co.	

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* Magdalene 520, Mt. Ayr	10
*Benton 523, Benton	4
*Valentine 528, Kellerton	15
*Ellston 540, Ellston	3
**District No. 81 - Sac Co.	
*Pond Lily 19, Lake View	7
* Imogene 259, Sac City	10
*Odebolt 336, Odebolt	8
District No. 82 - Scott Co.	
*Echo 104, Princeton	6
*LeClaire 124, LeClaire	1
Scott Zedoka 2, Davenport	0
**District No. 83 - Shelby Co.	
*Shelby 140, Shelby	10
*Zenobia 286, Harlan	16
**District No. 85 - Story Co.	
* Marian 108, Ames	10
*Jeptha 187, Maxwell	2
*Nevada 234, Nevada	4
*Colo 270, Colo	7
**District No. 86 - Tama Co.	
*Clutier 22, Clutier	4
*Laurel 116, Traer	6
* Diamond Link 176, Tama	9
* Morning Star 236, Elberon	5
*Toledo 307, Toledo	9
**District No. 87 - Taylor Co.	
*Timely 43, Lenox	11
*Golden Rule 134, Bedford	17
*New Market 427, New Market	8
** District No. 89 - Van Buren Co.	4
*Farmington 23, Farmington	4
*Bonaparte 122, Bonaparte	3
*Juanto 250, Selma	6
**District No. 90 - Wapello	1.4
*Myrah 41, Ottumwa	14
*Rachel 77, Eldon	8
*Enterprise 132, Ottumwa *Olive and Oak 455	8 5
*Celia 570, Blakesburg	6
**District No. 91 - Warren Co.	U
*Rhodema 21, Carlisle	7
*Rainbow 277, Lacona	4
*Milo 504, Milo	5
*Indianola 111, Indianola	23
** District No. 92- Washington Co.	
*Zimri 58, Washington	16
*Kalona 84, Kalona	9
*Wellman 391, Wellman	18
**District No. 93 - Wayne Co.	10
*Prairie Gem 131, Allerton	11
*Miawa 146, Humeston	14
*Fidelity 272. Lineville	8

* New York 518, Millerton	
* Lone Tree 379, Seymour	1'
* Bethany 566, Corydon	1
** District No. 94 - Webster Co.	
* Webster 85, Gowrie	
* Vestal 103, Lehigh	
* Ballantyne 238, Otho	
* Bon Ami 280, Fort Dodge	13
** District No. 95 - Winnebago Co.	
*Northern Light 344, Forest City	,
*True Friends 375, Lake Mills	
District No. 96 - Winneshiek Co.	
Oneota 175, Decorah	
Usona 458, Burr Oak	
**District No. 97 - Woodbury Co.	
*Paradise 265, Sioux City	
*Pacific 557, Sioux City	1.
*Belvidere 224, Moville	
*Oto 266, Oto	
*Valley 338, Anthon	
*Pierson Valley 374, Pierson	
District No. 98 - Worth Co.	
Royal Blue 240, Manly	
Ina 429, Northwood	
**District No. 99 - Wright Co.	
*Golden Rod 162, Belmond	13
*Primrose 179, Dows	
*Junietta 185, Eagle Grove	
*Marietta 501, Clarion	16

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Dist. No. 6 - Benton Co. Sincere 59, Belle Plaine Blanche Fisher Orion 63, Shellsburg Mary Hoon Dist. No. 7 - Black Hawk Co. Happy Thought 256, Cedar Falls Rosemary Klingman Dist. No. 9 - Bremer Co. Shamrock 296, Janesville Barbara Nitcher Janet Hewitt Dist. No. 10 - Buchanan Co. Lillium 25, Independence Zelma Grooms Bro. Mel Gray Dist. No. 11 - Buena Vista Co. Storm Lake 205, Storm Lake Flora Rice

Dist. No. 12 - Butler Co. Inspiration 324, Dumont Bernice Canon Dist. No. 14 - Carroll Co. Golden Link 10, Coon Rapids Pat Lyons Dist. No. 18 - Cherokee Co. Diadem 372, Cherokee Ruby Mundy Dist. No. 21 - Clay Co. Spencer 28, Spencer Velma Crowe Dist. No. 26 - Davis Co. Bloomfield 1, Bloomfield Fern Bogle Dist. No. 32 - Emmett Co. Harmony 55, Estherville Lois Scattebo Janice Mickelson

Dist. No. 37 - Green Co. Bethuel 83, Churdan Adeline Anderson Dist. No. 41 - Hancock Co. Charity 334, Britt Jane Nielsen Dist. No. 47 - Ida Co. Ida Grove 264, Ida Grove Agnes McKay Dist. No. 50 - Jasper Co. Margaret 237, Newton June Loupee Dist. No. 51 - Jefferson Co. Fairfield 96, Fairfield Kathleen McCullough Hazel Klett Leona Clarke Hawkeye 386, Fairfield Lula Hook Dist. No. 57 - Linn Co. Grove City 35, Marion Barbara Taylor Home 79, Cedar Rapids Donna Wood Dist. No. 63 - Marion Co.

Marion 70, Knoxville
Edith Hayes
Dist. No. 68 - Monroe Co.
Albia 323, Albia
Leone Thorson
Dist. No. 69 - Montgomery Co.
Centennial 556, Villisca
Diana Petty
Faith 174, Red Oak
Ruth Stevens
Dist. No. 70 - Muscatine Co.
Miriam 27, Muscatine
Roberta Mills
Hallie Schenkel
Billie Burns
Dist. No. 77 - Polk Co.

Acme 128, Des Moines Ruth Eaton May Henry 165, Bondurant Thelma LaMar Columbian 181, Des Moines Mary Jo Aarous Mable Sesker Georgia Douaghy Amaryllis 81, West Des Moines Mary Faus Dist. No. 78 - Pottawattamie Co. Council Bluffs 3, Council Bluffs Margie Cozad Dist. No. 79 - Poweshiek Co. Grinnell 119, Grinnell Marie Allbee Dist. No. 81 - Sac Co. Imogene 259, Sac City Kay Olson Dist. No. 83 - Shelby Co. Zenobia 286, Harlan **Betty Sorenson** Dist. No. 87 - Taylor Co. Timely 43, Lenox Geneva Beckett Dist. No. 90 - Wapello Co. Myrah 41, Ottumwa Bertha Glasgow Dist. No. 91 - Warren Co. Indianola 111, Indianola **Dorothy Bingaman** Dist. No. 92 - Washington Co. Kalona 84, Kalona Karen Plank Dist. No. 93 - Wayne Co. Prairie Gem 131, Allerton Janice Green Lone Tree 379, Seymour Bro. Hosie Sager Dist. No. 99 - Wright Co.

Marietta 501, Clarion

Darlene Cellan

LEGISLATION

Chairman, Alice Clark moved the adoption of Report 3. Seconded by Berneice Longerbone. Adopted.

REPORT 3

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa: We, your Committee on legislation, to whom was referred the amendment to Standing Resolution No. 69, as found on Page 307 of the 1970 Journal by deleting the second paragraph in its entirety and inserting in Lieu thereof the following: Member of Georgia Quigley State Lodge No. 1, wishing to transfer into an active Rebekah Lodge, may make application accompanied by his or her Official Certificate showing dues paid at least four weeks in advance.

We, the Legislative Committee, recommend this Standing Resolution

be adopted as amended.

Fraternally submitted

By the Committee:

Chairman, moved the adoption of Report 4. Seconded by Dorothy Atwater, District No. 28, Adopted.

REPORT 4

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Iowa:

We, your committee on Legislation, to whom was referred the

following Resolution:

Be it resolved that a fund be created to be known as the Home Picnic Building Fund. Whereas, contributions can be made to this fund for the purpose of building a permanent type of structure to facilitate the attendance at the Home Picnic; also to serve a dual purpose the remainder of the year as the needs and necessities of the Home shall require. This structure should be of the type of building that will add beauty as well as usefulness to our Home.

If adopted, the Executive Board recommends that the balance of funds from our Annual Homes Picnic, after expenses, be put in a separate account in a bank, at interest, with the Treasurers' of the

Grand Lodge and the Rebekah Assembly as Co-signers.

Signed: Maxine Hackbarth

We, the Legislative Committee recommend that this Resolution be adopted.

Fraternally Submitted, By the Committee

Chairman, Alice Clark, moved the adoption of her final report. Seconded by Claudine Kline, District No. 11. Adopted.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

We, your Committee on Legislation, wish to report that we have performed our duty by submitting to the Rebekah Assembly, all legislation that has been referred to the Legislative Committee. We wish to thank Elizabeth Seitsinger, President of the Rebekah Assembly, for the honor and privilege of serving on this Committee.

Fraternally Submitted

Committee

REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA

CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE REPORT

Report 5 was presented by the Chairman, who moved for adoption of same. Seconded by Stella Wardenburg, District No. 48.

REPORT 5

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa: We, your Credential Committee, have examined the credentials of 5 Past Noble Grands and recommend that they be seated.

Fraternally submitted, Signed by the Committee

FINAL REPORT OF THE CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE

Final report was given by the Chairman, who moved for the adoption of same. Seconded by Gladys Reed, District No. 78. Adopted.

REPORT FINAL

To the officers and members of the Rebekah Assembly I.O.O.F. of Iowa:

We, your credential committee, wish to report that during this session of the Rebekah Assembly we have examined the credentials of 20 new delegates, 34 Past Noble Grands and 1 Past Grand, a total of 55 having received the Rebekah Assembly Degree.

Sister Elizabeth, we wish to thank you for the privilege of serving you and this Assembly during this your Harvest Session. It is our earnest hope that Our Hands have assisted in some way to achieve your goals.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by Committee

COMMITTEE TO EXAMINE VISITORS REPORT

Past President, Leona Lindaman gave this report and moved for the adoption of same. Seconded by Alice Champion, District No. 41. Adopted.

REPORT

To the officers and Member of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

We, your Committee appointed to examine visitors, wish to report that we were priveleged to examine Sister and Lady Hazel Hinders who is the Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Ladies Encampment Auxiliary of South Dakota.

Fraternally submitted,

Leona Lindaman, P.P. Abby Calhoun, P.P.

WARDEN AND CLASS

The Marshall and Conductor escorted the Warden and class into the Assembly room. The Warden moved the adoption of her report. Seconded by Vada Hansen District No. 19. Adopted.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

I have instructed 5 Past Noble Grands and they are entitled to be seated in this assembly.

Fraternally Submitted,

Maxine Hackbarth, Warden

FINAL REPORT OF THE WARDEN

Final report was given by Assembly Warden, who moved for the adoption of same. Seconded by Violet Breffle, District No. 30, Adopted.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly, I.O.O.F. of lowa:

I have instructed 20 new delegates, 34 Past Noble Grands and 1 Past Grand in the Rebekah Assembly Degree and they have been seated in this Assembly.

MILEAGE AND EXPENSE REPORT

This report was given by Chairman, Marguarite Messerer, and she moved the adoption of same. Seconded by Reva Schrieber, District No. 3. Adopted.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly, Independent Order of Odd Fellows:

We, the Committee on Mileage and Expense, wish to submit the following report and recommend payment with such changes as may be found necessary.

The attached tabulated report shows the following:

No.		Miles Mile	eage Exper	nse Total
5 Elective Officers	563	45.04	156.00	201.04
10 Appointive Officers	815	65.20	252.00	317.20
20 Past Presidents	2411	192.88	576.00	768.88
15 Committees	1072	85.76	411.00	496.76
41 Hold-Over Delegates	5121	409.68	1200.00	1609.68
44 New Delegates	7067	565.36	1329.00	1894.36
	17049	1363.92	3924.00	5287.92

Fraternally submitted,

Marguarite Messerer, Chairman Wanda Coulter Veneta Reeves Grace Sanderson Bertha Wymore, P.P. Wilford Ward, P.G.M.

Elective Officers	Miles	Mileage	Expense	Total
President	~=	4.50	0.0	40.50
Elizabeth Seitsinger, So. English Vice President	57	4.56	36.00	40.56
Lylas Hayden, Altoona	115	9.20	24.00	33.20
Warden	110	0.20	21.00	00.20
Maxine Hackbarth, Des Moines	115	9.20	24.00	33.20
Secretary				
Vivian Nelson, Clear Lake	158	12.64	36.00	48.64
Treasurer Muriel Galvin, Knoxville	118	9.44	36.00	45.44
Muriei Garvin, Knoxvine	110		30.00	45.44
	563	45.04	156.00	201.04
Appointive Officers	MILES	Mileage	Expense	Total
Marshal	140	0.44	04.00	00.44
Louise Galvin, Knoxville Conductor	118	9.44	24.00	33.44

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Jane Fauth, Sigourney	68	5.44	24.00	29.44
Chaplain				
Doris Cuvelier, Janesville	84	6.72	24.00	30.72
Inside Guardian				25
Muriel Roudabush, Belle Plaine	38	3.04	24.00	27.04
Outside Guardian	50	4.10	04.00	00.10
Mae Marek, Wellman	52	4.16	24.00	28.16
Musician Many Shafar Kinness	62	4.96	24.00	28.96
Mary Shafer, Kinross Messenger	02	4.50	24.00	20.90
Kay Shenenberger, Cedar Rapids	_		24.00	24.00
Inside Stenographer			24.00	24.00
Odetta Mason, Sac City	203	16.24	30.00	46.24
Outside Stenographer		20.21	00.00	10.21
Florence Hollingsworth, Marshalltown	69	5.52	30.00	35.52
Color Bearer				:
Elaine Tomlin, Bloomfield	121	9.68	24.00	33.68
Soloist				
Eddis Allen, Indianola –				
	815	65.20	252.00	317.20
Past Presidents		Mileage	e Expens	a Total
Esther Hick, Altoona	115	9.20	30.00	39.20
Hazel Schaller, Des Moines	115	9.20		39.20
Mae E. Burbank, Fredericksburg	96	7.68	30.00	37.68
Leona Lindaman, Charles City	139	11.12	30.00	41.12
Muriel Galvin, Knoxville				
(listed as Treasurer) –				
Vivian Nelson, Clear Lake				
(listed as Secretary) –			 -	
Hallie Posnecker, Des Moines	115	9.20	30.00	39.20
Louise Allen, Clinton	88	7.04	30.00	37.04
Lucile Shanda, Elberon	38	3.04	30.00	33.04
Bertha Wymore, Rose Hill	83 178	6.64	30.00 30.00	36.64 44.24
Helen Nelson, Britt Stella Winget, Des Moines	115	14.24 9.20	30.00	39.20
Irene Schulz, Ft. Dodge	170	13.60	30.00	43.60
Erma Steinick, Madrid	127	10.16	30.00	40.16
LeNora Schuknecht, Cedar Rapids			30.00	30.00
Abby Calhoun, Agency	102	8.16	30.00	38.16
Shirley Lubberden, Des Moines	115	9.20	6.00	15.20
Margaret McCoy, Indianola	136	10.88	30.00	40.88
LaVada Petersen, Newell	223	17.84	30.00	47.84
Hazel Lyons, Yale	160	12.80	30.00	42.80
Frances Simpson, Boone	118	9.44	30.00	39.44
Marjorie Hefte, Britt	178	14.24	30.00	44.24
	2411	192.88	576.00	768.88
Committees	Mila	s Miles c	Francis	o Total
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Edna Ward, Norway	19	1.52	24.00	25.52
		1.00	21.00	20.02

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Lucile Sheetz, Cedar Rapids			18.00	18.00
Cleola Shaneberger, Cedar Rapids Finance			18.00	18.00
Georgia Walker, Bloomfield	121	9.68	36.00	45.68
Ruth Ginkens, Keota	60	4.80	36.00	40.80
Maxine Watson, Bagley	160		36.00	48.80
Ella Mae Osborn, Mitchellville	117	9.36	36.00	45.36
Legislation		0.00	30.00	20.00
Alice Stuart, Stuart Credentials	159	12.72	30.00	42.72
Helen Kukkuck, Preston	78	6.24	30.00	36.24
Helen Leyda, Bloomfield	121	9.68	30.00	39.68
Helen Milburn	127	10.16	30.00	40.16
Election Returns				
Berniece Westcott, Iowa City Mileage and Expense	31	2.48	24.00	26.48
Marguarite Messerer, Cedar Falls Memorial	79	6.32	24.00	30.32
Henrietta Seabrooke, Cedar Rapids Community Service			24.00	24.00
Emma Franklin, W. Des Moines Joint Youth Committee Hazel Lyons, Yale (listed as Past President)	-		15.00	15.00
Warden-Elect				
Edna Ward, Norway				
(listed as Board of Instruction)	_			
(listed as Board of Instruction)	1072	 	411.00	496.76
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46	Dollie Nielson Bonde, Humboldt	178	14.24	30.00	44.24
48	Stella Wardenbury, Williamsburg	38	3.04	30.00	33.04
52	Mabel Kral, Iowa City	31	2.48	30.00	32.48
54	Grace Sanderson, Sigourney	68	5.44	30.00	35.44
56	Nellie Macklin, Ft. Madison	122	9.76	30.00	39.76
58	Ruth Mangelas, Wapella	75	6.00	30.00	36.00
62	Ruth Quillen, New Sharon	80	6.40	30.00	36.40
64	Lonona Hatten, Marshalltown	69	5.52	30.00	35.52
68	Mable Johnson, Oskaloosa	91	7.28	30.00	37.28
70	Orpha Zaticek, West Liberty	41	3.28	30.00	33.28
74	Clarissa Swanson, Emmetsburg	240	19.20	30.00	49.20
76	Jennie Walters, Pocahontas	204	16.32	30.00	46.32
78	Gladys Reed, Council Bluffs	245	19.60	24.00	43.60
80	Wilma Highshoe, Kellerton	205	16.40	24.00	40.40
82	Edna Holst, LeClaire	92	7.36	30.00	37.36
86	Pauline Manfull, Traer	59	4.72	30.00	34.72
88	Luella Kingery, Afton	180	14.40	30.00	44.40
90	Iva Miller, Ottumwa	95	7.60	30.00	37.60
92	Ruth Bull, Wellman	52	4.16	30.00	34.16
94	Opal Hewitt, Ft. Dodge	170	13.60	30.00	43.60
96	Mabel White, Decorah	113	9.04	30.00	39.04
98	Viola Reed, Northwood	171	13.68	30.00	43.68
		5099	409.68	1200.00	1609.68

Nes	w Delegates	Miles	Mileage	Expense	Total
1	Zura Brown, Fontanelle	188	15.04	30.00	45.04
3	Reva Steiber, Waukon	118	9.44	30.00	39.44
5	Evelyn Davis, Audubon	187	14.96	30.00	44.96
7	Hella Yarrow, LaPorte City	37	2.96	30.00	32.96
9	Maxine Wells, Denver	83	6.64	30.00	36.64
11	Claudine Cline, Newell	223	17.84	9.00	26.84
13	Kathryn Kurth, Lake City	180	14.40	30.00	44.40
15	DeWilda Roe, Wiota	178	14.24	30.00	44.24
17	Edith Sawyer, Clear Lake	158	12.64	30.00	42.64
19	Veda Hansen, Nashua	109	8.72	30.00	38.72
23	Beryl Linderman, DeWitt	65	5.20	30.00	35.20
25	Veneta Reeves, Adel	138	11.04	30.00	41.04
27	Beulah Gibbs, Decatur	189	15.12	30.00	45.12
29	Marie Hudson, Yarmouth	85	6.80	30.00	36.80
33	Helen Tatro, Clermont	90	7.20	30.00	37.20
35	LaVeta Liekweg, Hampton	131	10.48	30.00	40.48
37	Ethel Lorentzen, Scranton	153	12.24	30.00	42.24
39	Georgie Anna Roberts, Stuart	159	12.72	30.00	42.72
41	Alice Champion, Britt	178	14.24	30.00	44.24
43	Doris Sieck, Woodbine	226	18.08	30.00	48.08
47	Edna Lee, Ida Grove	222	17.76	30.00	47.76
51	Jessie Heater, Fairfield	95	7.60	30.00	37.60
55	Linnea Heisrodt, Algona	206	16.48	30.00	46.48
57	Helen Zimmerman, Lisbon	19	1.52	30.00	31.52
57	Arlene Sheneberger, Cedar Rapids	-		30.00	30.00

59	Marvel Willets, Chariton	144	11.52	30.00	41.52
61	Maxine Kingery, Lorimor	176	14.08	30.00	44.08
63	Bonnie Loynachan, Knoxville	118	9.44	30.00	39.44
65	Fae Dietchler, Silver City	263	21.04	30.00	51.04
67	Arlene Willey, Onawa	242	19.36	30.00	49.36
69	Margaret Nelson, Red Oak	241	19.28	30.00	49.28
71	Helen Purhman, Granville	282	22.56	30.00	52.56
73	Zula Pfander, Clarinda	249	19.92	30.00	49.92
77	Bernice Longerbone, Des Moines	115	9.20	30.00	39.20
77	Helen Way, Des Moines	115	9.20	30.00	39.20
79	Alice Underwood, Montezuma	67	5.36	30.00	35.36
81	Ivon Buehler, Odebolt	213	17.04	30.00	47.04
83	Marjorie Howard McNerney, Harlan	217	17.36	30.00	47.36
85					
87	Hazle Sexton, Lennox	216	17.28	30.00	47.28
89	June McClure, Farmington	112	8.96	30.00	38.96
91	Vanora Mullins, Indianola	136	10.88	30.00	40.88
93	Lelah Schultz, Lineville	183	14.64	30.00	44.64
95	Irene Buckley, Forest City	190	15.20	30.00	45.20
97	Lila Lillie, Anthon	237	18.96	30.00	48.96
99	Estella Hansen, Clarion	156	12.48	30.00	42.48
		7067	565.36	1329.00	1894.36

FINANCE REPORT 5

Chairman gave report 5 and moved the adoption of same. Seconded by Eldora Leon, District No. 26. Adopted.

REPORT 5

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa: We, the Finance Committee, have examined the report of the Committee on Mileage and Expense and find it correct and recommend this report be accepted.

Fraternally submitted

Finance Committee

YOUTH COMMITTEE REPORT

Hallie Posnecker P.P. gave the report assisted by P.P. Margorie Hefte. Hallie moved the adoption of the report as printed in the officers reports. Seconded by Helen Tatro, District No. 33. Adopted.

Irma Steinick, P.P. introduced Abby Calhoun, P.P. as Secretary of the Department Association Officers.

Assembly Secretary reports \$240 worth of supplies have been sold so far, from our Assembly supplies.

REPORT ON GREETINGS TO GRAND LODGE

Vice President, Lylas Hayden, gave the report and moved for the adoption of same. Seconded by Hilda Yarrow, District No. 7. Adopted.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

We the committee to visit Grand Lodge wish to report that we performed our duty and was graciously received. We pledged to them our continued cooperation and wished for them a very successful session. We were most happy to have Sister Jennie Sue Pearson Warden of the I.A.R.A. accompany us on this visit.

Fraternally submitted

Lylas Haydon V.P., Chairman Nina Fitzsimmons Marjorie Hefte P.P.

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

We your committee to carry Greetings to the Grand Ladies Encampment Auxiliary beg leave to report that we have performed our duty:

We expressed to the Grand Matriarch Arlene Sanders and to the Grand Ladies Encampment Auxiliary the best wishes of the Rebekah Assembly for a pleasant and successful session and the personal wishes of our President Sister Elizabeth Seitsinger for a wonderful session and that although she is not a member of that branch of the order she will continue to promote the growth and prosperity of their wonderful order.

Matriarch Gertrude Black, Past Grand Matriarch responded to our greetings and thanked us for our kind words and requested us to take back to the Assembly and our President their best wishes for a happy and successful session.

We wish to thank our President Sister Elizabeth Seitsinger for the privilege of serving on this committee.

Fraternally submitted in Friendship, Love and Truth
Arlene Sheneberger, P.G.M. Chairman
Rose Lennabaugh, P.G.M.
Frances Simpson, P.P.

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly, I.O.O.F. of Iowa:

We, your Committee to carry Greetings to the Department Council Patriarchs Militant which met in July — wish to say we were graciously received. We wish you might have been present, for the response was meant for you — that your session be one of harmony — and your wish all be full filed.

Thank you Sister Elizabeth.

Elizabeth Brown Stella Winget

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

We, your Committee to carry greetings to the Department Association Ladies Auxiliary Patriarchs Militant, wish to report that we performed our duty and were graciously received by President Dorothy Atwater.

We extended our hope for her rewarding session and in turn, were thanked for bringing greetings.

Fraternally submitted,

Irene Cunningham, Chairman Louise Allen

To the President of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa, All Officers and Members of this Rebekah Assembly of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows:

We, your Committee to carry greetings to the Grand Encampment wish to report we have fulfilled our duty.

We were asked to bring you greetings for a very successful Session from the Grand Encampment.

We wish to thank you for serving on this committee.

Fraternally submitted,

Mary E. Westcott, Chairman Florence Hollingsworth Helen Fickel

COMMUNITY SERVICE REPORT

Report of this committee was given by Emma Franklin. She moved the adoption of this report. Seconded by Ivon Buehler District No. 81. Adopted.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, it is my pleasure to submit the following report. I received reports from 90 Lodges. Some are doing more than others, but we are grateful for each and every good deed performed. It is regretted that time and space do not permit the listing of these services separately by lodges.

Many lodges have given a great deal of time and money. Many sisters worked on the following Fund drives: March of Dimes, Heart, Polio, Cancer, Easter Seals, Christmas Seals, and United Campaign, as well as donating many hours in church activities, Sunday School, Soldiers Home, Senior Citizens Clubs, Red Cross, American Legion, Camp Fire Girls, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Foreign Student Exchange, Salvation Army, Little League Baseball, Band Boosters, Mental Hospital, Election Board, Bloodmobile, selling poppies for Legion

Auxiliary, and many hours of work by Gray and Pink Ladies.

One lodge chaperoned school parties sponsored by the YMCA. Many wrote letters for and read letters to those unable to do this. Several made lap robes, bed pads, bibs, filled ditty bags for Service men and women in Vietnam, and sewed for the needy in Golden Age Clubs. One lodge helped sack treats for Santa Claus Day in December; many helped address and stuff envelopes for T.B. Christmas seals. Several have helped families, who suffered tragedies in their community, donating clothing, furniture, food and dishes. Some collected Betty Crocker coupons for kidney machines, made and filled Easter and Christmas baskets and delivered them to hospitals, nursing homes and children's homes. One lodge provided glasses for the needy; many furnished transportation for the elderly, to and from church, shopping, the doctor and the Golden Age Club. One lodge opened its hall for stranded motorists during a bad blizzard; several planted trees and flowers in city parks.

Many lodges reported giving bath towels and wash cloths in the Home in Mason City; several entertained members in nursing homes with Bingo. Many lodges helped to send young people on United Nations Pilgrimages and hosted bus loads of these youth as they passed through the city. Many lodges and individual members have furnished rooms at the I.O.O.F. Home. One brother gave ten acres of corn for a church project, gave free labor to put on a roof and install windows in a church. Several brothers donate their service as volunteer firemen. One lodge sent two girls to the United Nations Pilgrimage. Several lodges participated in a July 4 parade — one float won second prize, and one carried the President's Emblem. Many articles were donated to schools for the handicapped, to be used in gift making.

All of this adds up to the giving of thousands upon thousands of hours, as well as many thousands of dollars, and we wish to thank each one for all these generous contributions.

A special thanks goes to the chairman, who took the time to send in these reports.

Thank you, Sister Elizabeth, for the privilege of serving as your Community Service Chairman.

We know that God would have us always do good,

To help one another and care.

So each kind word and act, as a matter of fact,

In God's eyes is a warm little prayer.

Fraternally submitted

Emma Franklin, Chairman Helen Nelson, P.P. A.M. Black, P.S.Gr.M.

Ninety Lodges Reporting - numerically arranged

Council Bluffs, 3 Praha, 5 Columbia, 6 Golden Link, 10 Bell, 17 Rhodema, 21 Miriam, 27 Spencer, 28

Star, 30 Evangeline, 31 Chariton, 33 Fidelia, 36

Marshall, 40 Scarlet, 42 Anchor, 46 Eureka, 52 Temple, 54 Sarah, 57 Zimri, 58 Ariel, 60 Oakland, 65 Marion, 70 Purity, 72 Jefferson, 74 Amaryllis, 81 Bethuel, 83 Lotos, 87 Springville, 99 Tina, 105 Queen, 106 Vashti, 113 Acme, 128 Pope, 136 Esther, 138 Emerald, 152 Venus, 160 Oneota, 175

Columbian, 181 Sweet Brier, 188 Central, 191 Humboldt, 200 Mercy, 215 Star of Maine, 221 Cedar Valley, 226 Friendship, 235 Morning Star 236 Sigourney, 262 Edna, 263 Ida Grove. 264 Good Hope, 267 Fidelity, 272 Lincoln, 278 Bon Ami, 280 Zenobia, 286 Concordia, 295 Shamrock, 296 Loyal, 306 Albia, 323 Paul Caster, 348 Golden Star, 352 Crown, 360 Rhodes, 362 Williamsburg, 367

True Friends, 375 Lone Tree 379 Wellman, 391 Alice Blue, 414 Equal Rights, 419 Garcia, 425 Silver Star, 431 Bagley, 432 Marathon, 437 Elizabeth, 444 Spirit Lake, 447 Olive and Oak, 455 Audubon, 459 Nora Springs, 483 Ideal, 493 Marietta, 501 Troy, 510 Magdalene, 520 Benton, 523 Centennial, 556 Dorcas, 564 Maple River, 565 Bethany 566 Alpha, 572 Larrabee, 590 Busy Bee, 598

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Chairman of committee moved to accept rejection to Resolution 46 by Legislation Committee. Seconded by Eldora Leon, District No. 26. Adopted.

REPORT

Rosella, 177

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

We, the Finance Committee, have examined the proposed change in Standing Resolution No. 46 which would increase the mileage and expense of the Assembly Secretary to the I.A.R.A. We have carefully studied this resolution and feel that until such time, this Assembly sees fit to raise the Mileage and Expense of the Delegates and Officers of the Assembly, we should not raise Mileage and Expense of any one officer. Therefore, we move that this resolution be not adopted.

Fraternally submitted

By the Committee

Report 7 given by Chairman of Finance. She moved adoption of this report. Seconded by Vada Hansen, District No. 19. Adopted.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa: We, your Finance Committee, have examined the proposed change in Resolution No. 58 and move that this resolution be adopted.

Fraternally submitted,

The Committee

Report 8 given by Chairman of Finance. She moved adoption of this report. Seconded by Claudine Cline, District No. 11.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

We, the Finance Committee, have examined the bills:

Marjorie Hefte:

Co-Chairman of 4-State Conclave, 1 banquet ticket for

International Guest

\$ 3.85

Marjorie Hefte: Chairman of Courtesy Committee

70.85

We also approve any gratuities to the Secretary and Treasurer.

Fraternally submitted,

Signed by the Committee

FINAL REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

Committee then presented Report 9 moving for adoption of same. Seconded by Kathryn Hurth, District No. 13. Adopted.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

We, your Committee on Finance, have examined the books and papers of the Officers of the Assembly and reports assigned to us and performed our duties to the best of our ability.

We wish to thank Sister Elizabeth Seitsinger for the privilege of serving on her committee and the officers for their cooperation.

Fraternally submitted

Signed by the Committee

COURTESY COMMITTEE REPORT

Report of this committee was given by LaVada Peterson P.P. She moved the adoption of the report. Seconded by Ivon Buehler, District No. 81. Adopted.

REPORT

To the Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa:

We, your Courtesy Committee, would like to thank everyone who helped in any way to make this Session of the Rebekah Assembly for 1971 such a great success. We cannot name every one. I'm sure you will all agree that it has been most enjoyable. The lodges of Cedar Rapids are to be commended for their organization and spirit of helpfulness.

We would like to thank the hotels for their efficient services and thanks to the People's Church for the use of their wonderful facilities.

We would say thanks for all the greetings extended to us from all the Jurisdictions of this grand Order as well as the greetings from all the other Branches. These, we appreciate so much.

The highlight of the Session was the visitation of the Warden of the I.A.R.A., Sister Jennie Sue Pearson of Maryland. We have certainly enjoyed her smile, her beautiful brown eyes and her winning ways. It has been a joy to be her escort while she was with us. We certainly want to extend to her a standing invitation to return to us at some future date. We were most honored to have her with us.

We would like to thank the Janesville lodge and the Keota lodge for their part in the Opening and Closing of lodge and the Degree Work. It is always so impressive and beautiful.

The Past Presidents, Officers, and delegates are all very appreciative of your wonderful work for this Order, Sister Elizabeth. I hope your harvest will fill your store house of memories to the brim.

Our thanks to Sister Margie Hefte for her wonderful report as a representative to I.A.R.A. She brought back many good ideas.

We would like to Congratulate all incoming officers and to especially

wish the very best to Sister Lylas for the coming year.

Thanks to Sister Elizabeth for the privilege of serving on this committee. It has indeed been a privilege.

Fraternally submitted,

Margie Hefte, Chr. LaVada Petersen Hazel Schaller

Margaret McCoy P.P. thanked all who subscribed to the International Rebekah and would like for at least 20 to subscribe in Vira Reynold's memory.

The special memory books were presented to the Assembly President by Dorothy Singleton, Chairman, and sister of the President. Co-Chairman was Ruth Ginkens.

Assembly Marshall, Louise Galvin, presented a gift to President Elizabeth from the Delegates and Officers and Committees.

CLOSING

President Elizabeth thanked everyone who had helped her in her Harvest Session.

My final words:

It's the hand we clasp with an honest grasp that gives us a hearty thrill. It's the good we pour into other's lives that comes back our own to fill. It's the hours we give to another's need that makes our own complete. It's the burdens we help another bear that makes our own seem light. It's the danger seen for another's feel that shows us the path to go, It's the good we do each passing day with heart sincere and true. In giving the world your very best, it's best will return to you. These things I have tried to do. It was with a prayer in my heart to

These things I have tried to do. It was with a prayer in my heart to Almighty God last year that I humbly accepted the office of President of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa. I realized that in the obligation I took that I had assumed a great responsibility in carrying on the program of those who had gone before me. The events of this year will linger long in my memory. It was my hope that we would all re-dedicate ourselves to greater effort in carrying out the principles and teachings of our great Fraternity and work for it's future.

In my travels, North, South, East and West, with Fraternal love I was blessed. The way you Rebekahs have welcomed me will linger long in memory. I've seen a lot of country, and met a lot of folks, I've found most people friendly and polite but my Sisters and Brothers in

Iowa, there's none that compare with you.

I have come to the close of another year, with its record of hopes and fear. I will cherish with joy the achievements wrought, forgetting heartaches and tears. I lift my eyes to the hills, from whence cometh my help and as I close my book and say with a true and loving heart, Dear Lord, it has been a perfect year and I have tried to do my best. The work is done, how well Only the Master knows. One never sees the fruit of the seeds he sows, it is only our part to patiently turn the sod. One plants, another waters, but the increase comes from God. We have reaped many Harvests this year. Our collections have been greater than in the past, we have been taking in new members every day who will help us in carrying out the teachings of Friendship, Love and Truth. I alone have not been responsible for our success, for our Harvest of Rebekah - Oddfellowship, but it has been accomplished by each one of you working by my side to carry out my program as well as the teachings of our Order so that we will leave behind us a heritage much greater than when we received it and showing to everyone that the Rebekah's in Iowa "Are Actually, Interested, Fraternally in the success of our wonderful Order. Thanks for giving me this truly happy, and successful year as your Assembly President.

The Chaplain, Doris Cuvelier, closed the Bible. The Assembly soloist, Eddis Allen, sang a Prayer Hymn. At the request of the President the Vice President declared the Rebekah Assembly adjourned until 2 p.m. for the installation of the Officers for the ensuing year.

The President declared it adjourned accordingly.

Friday Afternoon

The 84th Annual Session of the Rebekah Assembly of the Independent Order of Oddfellows reconvened at 2:00 p.m. for the installation of Officers and the closing of the Session.

INSTALLATION

The public installation of Assembly Officers was held in the Ballroom of the Hotel Roosevelt. Special guest was Jenny Lou Pearson, Warden of the International Association of Rebekah Assemblies.

The altar in front of the Assembly was arranged with a candle centered in the back and the Holy Bible centered in the front. The nylon tulle around the Bible was the Rebekah colors, pink and green. The traveling emblem which is "Ruth", one of the women of the Bible,

was placed on each side of the candle.

Installing Officers were: Elizabeth Seitsinger, retiring President — Installing Officer; Hazel Lyons, P.P. — Installing Marshall; Helen Nelson, P.P. — Installing Secretary; Mae Burbank, P.P. — Jewel Bearer; Louise Allen, P.P. — Installing Chaplain; Mary Shafer, Installing Musician. Each Past President was attired in a white formal and served as escorts.

OFFICER ESCORT

President, Lylas Haydon Frances Simpson Hazel Schaller Vice-President, Maxine Hackbarth Lucile Shanda Warden, Edna Ward Marjorie Hefte Secretary, Vivian Nelson Treasurer, Muriel Galvin Hallie Posnecker Abbie Calhoun Marshall, Kay Sheneberger Conductor, Emma Franklin LaVada Petersen Irene Schultz Chaplain, Lota Mae Marston Inside Guardian, Elizabeth Anderson Esther Hick Leona Woodbury Lindaman Outside Guardian, Elna Rochufeler Inside Stenographer, Mary Perry LeNora Schuknecht Outside, Stenographer, Frances Sheneberger Irma Steinick Margaret McCov Musician, Teresa Tullis Messenger, Joh Dee Beirs Stella Winget Color Bearer, Dorothy Clifton Louise Allen

After the Obligation was taken by the President she was pinned in

the badge of her office by her sister, Elizabeth Anderson.

The other Officers were then pinned with their jewels and escorted to their station. Prayer was offered by Louise Allen P.P. after which the Installing Marshall, Hazel Lyons, P.P. declared the Officers duly installed and the gavel was presented to the new President by the retiring President, who extended to President Lylas Haydon best wishes for the year ahead. Mary Shafer played and sang "Song of Ruth."

JEWEL PRESENTED

Lucile Shanda P.P. and Advisor to the President, Elizabeth Seitsinger, presented A. I. Fitzsimmons the father of the President and Earl Seitsinger husband of the president. Past Grand Master, A.I. Fitzsimmons said he would be glad to get Elizabeth back as she was the only one who knew how to pop corn. A.I. also said, To you, Elizabeth I could say many things. This year, the gavel your emblem

of authority you have wielded with justice and prudence.

You have lived up to your obligations and I know that your year was a success and one filled with much happiness because you accomplished what you set out to do and because you have truly lived and taught the principles of Rebekah Oddfellowship.

Lucile Shanda then escorted the retiring president, Elizabeth Seitsinger, to the Past Presidents where she was accepted as the latest daisy to form a link in their "Daisy Chain." The Past Presidents then sang "Blest be the Tie."

ACCEPTANCE OF JEWEL

Thank you Dad, my own Father, my built in Advisor for presenting me my jewel and to you, Earl, my husband for pinning my jewel on me.

To the Officers and members of the Rebekah Assembly, I hardly know what to say as I feel very humble. I am very proud and happy to receive this jewel and when I wear it many things will flash through my mind. First, like the bee of my emblem, I will recall the Rebekah's who were busy painting their halls, making new drapes, buying new carpets, stoves and refrigerators but most of all I will remember that you, my Sisters and Brothers were busy bringing in new members to help our Order grow and prosper. Second, like the Moon and Seven Stars you were bright and shining examples in your communities so that others wanted to join our Order and help us in our service to others. You extended Friendship to everyone, you have Love for our Order, Truth is the foundation on which our Order is founded, Faith that our Order will grow and Faith in our Heavenly Father to guide us on our way, Hope that we will leave behind us a heritage much greater than when we received it and Charity in our hearts for those less fortunate than we and added the final star of lovingkindness for which you have extended to everyone from day to day. Third, like the Lily you have kept your lives pure and spotless so that you are examples in your community and others have seen that there is something special about a Rebekah and thus have wanted to join us and finally at our side the three golden links of Oddfellowship, Friendship, Love and Truth which have been our watchwords this year. With our Brothers at our side and present at our meetings we knew that they would be there when needed. By the earnest efforts of each of you working by my side to promote our teachings in our homes, communities and churches and sowing seeds of kindness we have truly reaped a bountiful "Harvest of Rebekah Oddfellowship" thus showing to everyone that we were "Actually, Interested, Fraternally in the success and growth of our Wonderful Order."

Every day has been filled with happiness and my goals have been reached and yes, even my wildest dreams have come true. By your contributions to our Home Fund through our emblem presentations, installations, Harvest Home and Harvest Gatherings, Delegates Report and other occasions our Home Fund collections have been greater than for many years even though our membership is smaller. By practicing our principles this bountiful "Harvest" was possible.

You, my Sisters and Brothers will be wearing this jewel with me.

Every lodge I visited I found an old friend and when I left I felt and knew that I had made many new friends. I hope that in my own small way that I have brought some happiness as I traveled on my way and was of assistance to you. Sisters and Brothers, may God Bless and keep you until we meet again as I continue to travel on the Road of Rebekah Oddfellowship.

ACCEPTANCE SPEECH

It is with a feeling of humility and mixed emotions that I accept this office as your President. It is my honest desire to live by the teachings and principles of Rebekah Oddfellowship. I pledge to you to do all I can to promote peace and harmony among the Lodges and members so that at the close of my term you may say "Well done." Let each member try to do their part this year in carrying out our teachings and obligations, and so live as true Rebekahs. The benefits can only be enjoyed by living its principles. The World today needs our help. Let us cultivate and extend our social and fraternal relations among our friends so they will want to be one of our Order.

To Sister Elizabeth, in this past year you have accomplished much for your "Harvest" for Rebekah Oddfellowship. May you still continue to travel and enjoy the friendships you have made this year.

To my Officers, as we start this year together may we accomplish much with the help of all the Rebekahs of our good state of Iowa.

To the Past Presidents, thank you for your part in the installation.

May God bless each one of you, so that you may return next year.

My folks were members of our great Order and I can remember playing in the anteroom while the Lodge was in session, so the teachings were instilled a long time ago. As you know I am very proud to have my sister Elizabeth Anderson as one of my officers.

I do appreciate the trust and confidence the Rebekahs have placed in me and I trust I will have the loyal cooperation from each and every Rebekah.

Dear Lord, I come to thee in all humility and ask that Thou, make me a channel of Thy peace, that where there is wrong, I may bring the spirit of forgiveness. That where there is hatred, I may bring love, that where there is discord, I may bring harmony, that where there is error, I may bring Truth, that where there is doubt, I may bring faith, that where there is sadness, I may bring joy, that where there are shadows, I may bring light. Lord grant that I may seek comfort, rather than be comforted, to understand, rather than be understood, to love rather than be loved. For it is by giving that I receive, it is by forgetting that one finds it is by Forgiving that one is forgiven. And may we strive to touch and to know the common human heart of all; and O'Lord God, let us not forget to be kind. Amen.

Lylas E. Haydon, President

ADVISOR

Assembly Marshall, Kay Sheneberger presented Frances Simpson, P.P. as Advisor to President Lylas Haydon. She was seated at the President's right.

COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN PRESENTED

The Committee Chairmen attired in white formals like the elected Officers were introduced and presented by the Past Presidents.

COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

ESCORT

Board of Instruction - Maxine Lowe Finance - Doris Hahn Credential - Margaret Fae Gilbert Memorial - Gladys Reynolds Election Returns - Verda Irwin Mileage & Expense - Zola Patterson Legislation - Doris Horner Community - Irene Madson

LeNora Schuknecht Lucile Shanda Leona Woodbury Lindaman Irene Schultz Hazel Schaller LaVada Petersen Hallie Posnecker Margaret McCoy

The following honorary officers were appointed: Assembly Mother - Elizabeth Regan Memory and Publicity - Maxine Gilbert Soloist - LaVada Petersen

Each of these appointees were presented by a Past President.

FAMILIES PRESENTED

President Lylas Hayden presented her sister, Elizabeth Anderson, Assembly Inside Guardian.

The family of the Vice President, Maxine Hackbarth, was presented by Hazel Schaller.

The family of the Warden, Edna Ward, was presented by Lucile

Marjorie Hefte, P.P. presented R.J. Nelson, husband of the Assembly Secretary, Vivian Nelson.

Hallie Posnecker, P.P. presented Bill and Louise Galvin, son and wife, of Assembly Treasurer, Muriel Galvin.

Past President Elizabeth Seitsinger presented her whole family. A.I. and Nina Fitzsimmons, her parents. Pat and Mary, her sisters. And Kay Sheneberger who she claims as family.

DIGNATARY

Marjorie Hefte, P.P. presented A.M. Black Past Sovereign Grand Master of the World and Berle Starr, Grand Lodge Secretary. She also presented Berle's two office assistants.

Hallie Posnecker, P.P. presented Arthur Marston, Grand Master of Iowa. He spoke very briefly.

I.A.R.A. OFFICER — WARDEN

Jennie Sue Pearson spoke and said she feels she belongs to us and knew that we had a good year ahead. She thanked everyone so much for all courtesies shown her.

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Board of Instruction Maxine Lowe
Finance Doris Haan Spirit Lake Maxine Watson Bagley Leona Lindeman P.P. San Juan, Texas A.I. Fitzsimmons P.G.M Keota
LegislationFondaDoris HornerFondaLeone Stokka P.P.AmesMyron Allen P.G.M.Independence
CredentialsAnkenyMargaret GilbertAnkenyAbby Calhoun P.P.AgencyIvan Allen P.G.M.Indianola
Elections ReturnsVerda IrwinBedfordHazel Lyons P.P.BagleyA.M. Black P.S.G.M.Knoxville
Mileage and Expense Zola Patterson Prairie City LaVada Peterson P.P. Newell Billy Evans P.G.M. Keokuk
Memorial Gladys ReynoldsHarlanDoris Atkinson P.P.Fergus FallsSam Cuvilier P.G.M.Janesville
Community ServiceIrene MadsonStorm LakeMargaret McCoy P.P.IndianolaMilo Robinson P.G.M.Storm Lake
Memory Book Doris Maxine Gilbert
Floral Vivian Nelson, Assembly Secretary & P.P Clear Lake
Relief Maxine Hackbarth, Vice President

Courtesy and Resolutions Helen Nelson P.P. Louise Allen P.P. Elizabeth Seitsinger P.P.	Clinton
Examine Visitors Stella Winget P.P. Margaret McCoy P.P. Shirley Lubberden P.P. Marjorie Hefte P.P.	Indianola Des Moines
Introduce Visitors Louise Allen P.P. LeNora Schucknecht P.P. Esther Hick P.P.	.Cedar Rapids
Respond to Greetings All Past Presidents	
World Eye Bank Representative LeNora Schucknecht P.P.	Cedar Rapids
Butternut Coffee Strip Chairman Stella Winget P.P.	Des Moines
Visit Grand Lodge Maxine Hackbarth, Vice President Elizabeth Seitsinger P.P. Hazel Schaller P.P. IARA	Keota
Visit Grand Encampment Orphia Stebbeds Mabel Giles Elsie Cook	Des Moines
Visit Grand L.E.A. Arlene Sheneberger Bertha Price Nina Fitzsimmons	Des Moines
Visit Dept. Council Louise Allen P.P. Lucille Davis Helen Fickle	Des Moines
Visit Dept. Association Berniece Westcott Frances Sheneberger Rose Frances	Cedar Rapids
Visit Ladies of the Decoration Mary Biddle	Des Moines

Irene Cunningham Council Bluffs

Myrtle Witcraft Boone
Journal Committee Marjorie Hefte P.P
Grand Lodge Planning Board Maxine Hackbarth, Vice President
Joint Youth CommitteeHazel Lyons P.P. 3 yearsBagleyMarjorie Hefte P.P., 2 yearsBrittHallie Posnecker P.P., 1 yearDes Moines
United Nations Pilgrimage Elaine Tomlin
Rep. International Rebekah News Margaret McCoy P.P Indianola
Rep. to I.A.R.A. Elizabeth Seitsinger P.P Keota

PRESIDENT'S PROGRAM

1971 - 1972

MY GREETINGS TO YOU

"Like one small flame in the darkness One smile of welcome may glow So pass it along from Friend to Friend And watch its radiance glow. I dedicate this year of service to all who Love our Order and live its Principals.

MOTTO

May we keep our hearts united in the bonds of Friendship, Love and Truth.

EMBLEM

"RUTH" Ruth was a person of gentleness, loyalty and devotion.

"Entreat me not to leave thee, Or to return from following after thee, For wither thou goest I will go; And where thy lodgest, I will lodge, Thy people shall be my people, And thy God my God."

Behind these words we seem to hear the pleading and the tears of

those, who were separated from those they love, the whole is a plea for tolerance.

FLOWER

Pink Rose for Friendship and Love

COLORS

Pink for Friendship Green for Love White for Truth

SONGS

"Whispering Hope"
"The Prayer Perfect"
"Help Somebody Today"
Look all around you, find someone in need,

Help Somebody today; Though it be little a neighborly deed, Help Somebody today.

Chorus

Help Somebody today, Somebody along life's way; Let sorrow be ended, the friendless be friended O' help Somebody today.

SCRIPTURE

I will life up my eyes unto the hills from whence cometh my help. My help cometh from the Lord which made heaven and earth. Psalm 121:1-2.

MY GUIDE

The Bible and our Ritual
My Ritual is not just a book
With printed pages and cover;
The words emblazoned there I see
Are rules for daily living
Not another creed
To be read or softly spoken
Then closed again by me.
Faith, Trust and Loving Kindness
I must be ever giving
My Ritual teaches me to love,
To work and pray
And with a patriotic heart
To honor and obey.

MY PRAYER

"I ask Thy Hand, Dear Lord; To guide me on my way I ask Thy

courage for each passing day; I ask Thy comfort when the night draws nigh,

Thy inspiration and a vision high: I ask for Rebekahs to love-serve and share. I ask Thy Blessing now — This is my prayer.

MY CODE

To awake each morning with a smile brightening my face.

To greet the day with reverence for the opportunity it brings.

To approach my work with a clean mind.

To hold ever before me, even in doing little things.

The ultimate purpose toward which I am working.

To meet people with laughter on my lips and love in my heart.

To be gentle, kind, and courteous through all the hours.

To approach the night with weariness that ever woos sleep, and that comes from work well done.

Thomas Dreier

Time is not measured by the years that you live
But by the deeds that you do and the joys that you give
And from morning until night the good Lord above
Bestows on his children the Gift of His Love
Asking us only to share it with others.
By treating all people not as strangers but brothers
And each day as it comes brings a chance to each one
To live to the fullest, leaving nothing undone
That would brighten the load
Of some weary traveler lost on Life's Road.
So what does it matter how long we may live
If as long as we live we unselfishly give.

"Helen Steiner Rice"

GENERAL SUGGESTIONS

Remember our Youth Work. If your Lodge sponsors a Theta Rho Club, be sure to appoint a Youth Service Committee.

Also let us support the United Nations Program with our share of the cost of the delegates. Send some boy or girl from your lodge or community, it will advertise Rebekah - Odd fellowship.

Remember the folks at our Home. If you have an adopted Brother or Sister there — remember their birthdays and special days of the year. They love to get mail.

Attendance: Ask each member to call at least two sisters who do not attend regularly. Be sure to make every one feel welcome. No working member will become a delinquent member. Have well planned programs. Make your meetings interesting so that members will feel

they are missing something if they don't attend each meeting.

All Officers of the Lodge to memorize their charges (PLEASE do not

write any part of our Ritual).

Delegates, please have your Lodges on the Honor Roll for Commission in the unwritten work, and be sure to send the names to the Chairman of the Board of Instruction.

Pride and Appearance: I pride myself in my membership and I hope all others will do the same. Take pride in your halls so that you will enjoy the meeting in clean, attractive and well kept Lodge Halls. Does your Lodge have an attractive sign so that your community will know that there is an active Odd Fellow and Rebekah Lodge in town or that visitors may find your hall.

Plan to attend your District Convention and visit any near by

Conventions for the friendships and knowledge that you may gain.

Give generously to all Home Fund Collections, District Conventions, Emblem presentations and Friendship Nights.

Instructor to have a class in the unwritten work. Try to have some on the Effie Graham Honor Roll. Ask your Delegate to come and hear the recitations separately.

When the new journal is received — Standing Resolution 42 provides that parts be read so that the members are acquainted with the

legislation and material governing our meetings.

Please read the Presidents communications, news of the Home and the items from the International Rebekah News.

If you have a District Deputy President in your Lodge or District; give her all the honors due her. Also your Delegate, she is the one that

brings you the report of the Assembly.

Save your coffee coupons. While we no longer have children at our Home — these coupons will help other children in other Oddfellow and Rebekah Homes. Please send to Stella Winget, 2025 22nd St., Desi Moines, Iowa 50310.

Reporters or Publicity Chairmen — send your clippings and pictures of your lodge meetings to Maxine Gilbert, 109 Cherry, Ankeny, Iowa 50021, who is Chairman of my scrapbook.

Commissions: These will remain the same as previously.

Lodges having 10 per cent of their members holding current commissions in the unwritten work will receive their Honor Roll for Commissions.

District Honor Roll: When every Lodge in the District qualified for a Lodge Honor Roll for commissions, the District will be placed on this roll.

Effie Graham Honor Roll: Every member, who recites the unwritten work for the first time — their name will be placed on this roll and also their name will be in the journal.

Delegates: Please send the names of those giving you the unwritten work to the Chairman of the Board as soon as possible so the Lodges

may receive their Honor Roll.

During the year I would like for each Lodge to have a Delegates' night. One evening for Friendship night and invite the Assembly Officers — elective and appointive to attend that might live in your District or near your Lodge.

Emblem Night when you take "Ruth" to visit another lodge.

Installation night.

These collections to be for the Home.

All Collections given by a Rebekah Lodge should be sent to your President, clearly marked so that the proper department may receive the credit and the State receive proper credit.

REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA

If suddenly we knew today was going to be our last, I'm sure we'd do a lot of things neglected in the past Like rising very early so we wouldn't miss the dawn Or running barefoot down a hill before the dew is gone. I'd greet our neighbors with a very special smile. And visit friends we hadn't seen in quite a little while. I'm certain we'd be careful not to tread on any toes And listen with a kinder ear to other peoples woes. We'd find much greater magic in a sunset or a star And wished we noticed sooner just how beautiful they are. And finally, I think we'd ask for extra time to do These things we didn't do before and lots of others too. For all at once we'd realize that our spiritual worth Depends upon the way we live while we are here on earth.

"Ora Pace"

WHAT IS HAPPINESS?

That only deepens and grows;
It is Joy, It's Cheer, it's Faith through the year;
It's a puppy, a kitten, a rose!
It's the rainbow that comes after the storm,
It's the sun, it's the heavens of blue;
It's a fire on the hearth, it's a good book to read
It is Love, it is dear Friendship, too!
It's finding some goodness in each man you meet;
And overlooking the bad;
It's finding some worth in each experience on earth,
The good ones, the bright ones, the sad!
It's making the best of things as they may come,
It's a smile, even when there are tears;
It's hands that are busy for others — it's love
And a Faith that but grows with the years!

It's a seed that is planted down in the heart

Keith Bennett

MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

Each day we live adds to the Pattern
We weave on the Loom of Life!
And sometimes the threads are golden and gay,
Or the dark threads of sorrow and strife.
Sometimes the Pattern falls right in line,
Sometimes it seems slightly askew;
Sometimes the design seems all tangled
And makes no sense to me and you;
But our God is the Master Weaver,
He directs the design from above,
And we may be sure that each single strand
Is woven in kindness and Love!

And so it comes to the end of the year, your cooperation and friendship throughout the year has made it possible for me to fulfill my

obligation, the love and understanding which each of you have shown has made memories which I shall cherish while serving as your President.

Let us ask for wisdom, strength and guidance for the coming year—to build, to grow, to love, and to live in harmony and sympathy and good will toward others as we enjoy the blessings of this Christmas time. Let me say again "Thank you" for letting me be your President.

Lylas E. Haydon Rebekah Assembly of Iowa President

President



MAXINE HACKBARTH **Vice President**



EDNA WARD Warden



VIVIAN NELSON Secretary



MURIEL GALVIN Treasurer

BUSINESS RESUMED

The President asked for those who were not entitled to remain for the closed session to retire and the business resumed.

The list of District Deputy Presidents was presented by the President. A motion was made by Arlene Sheneberger to dispense with the reading of the list of District Deputy Presidents, that the list be approved as presented. Seconded by Lelah Schultz District No. 93. Carried.

Hazel Lyons was appointed on the Youth Committee.

Treasurer Muriel Galvin had everyone check their jewels to be sure they had the correct one.

CLOSING

The Chaplain addressed the Throne of Grace, closed the Bible and extinguished the lighted candle.

LaVada Petersen, P.P. sang "An Evening Prayer."

Color Bearer assited by the Marshall and Conductor retired the Flag of our Country.

The Vice President Maxine Hackbarth upon direction of the President declared the 84th Session of the Rebekah Assembly, Independent Order of Oddfellows of Iowa closed.

The President, Lylas Hayden declared it closed accordingly.

Appendix

The eighty - fourth annual session of the Rebekah Assembly held in Cedar Rapids is now history but those attending have pleasant memories of a very enjoyable week spent with the Brothers and Sisters of all parts of the state.

The Rebekahs and Odd Fellows of Cedar Rapids are to be commended on their very fine way they planned for our comfort and pleasure. We truly appreciated having all of our meetings in the Roosevelt Hotel as it made it much easier for all of us who stayed at head quarters.

We are again starting a New Year with a new leader so "May we keep our hearts united in the bonds of Friendship, Love and Truth and work just a little harder this year.

PAST PRESIDENT'S LUNCHEON

The Past President's luncheon was held in the Hotel Roosevelt on Tuesday noon with all Past Presidents present but two (Sisters Doris Atkenson and Leone Stokka) attending and we truly missed these two sisters.

The business meeting was presided over by our President LeNora Schucknecht. Officers elected for the new year were, Abby Calhoun, President; Shirley Lubberden, Vice President; Margaret McCoy, Secretary - Treasurer; Bertha Wymore, Staff Captain and Lucile Shanda, Ass't Captain.

The tables were beautifully decorated and at each place we found a

lovely handkerchief and night light from our President.

Sister Elizabeth Seitsinger, retiring President was admitted to membership and was presented a gift of money from the Past Presidents. She in turn gave each Past President a beautiful handkerchief with a crocheted lace edge.

BANQUET AND RECEPTION

A banquet for all member of all branches was held in the ballroom of the Roosevelt Hotel on Tuesday evening with a large crowd attending. After all dignitaries were introduced by the Chairman, Arlene Sheneberger, several prizes were given away which had been donated by the members of the various lodges in Cedar Rapids.

At 8:30 the same evening a reception for all branches was held. After

all elective and past elective officers of all branches were introduced a male quartet entertained with several selections.

PAST OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

Past Officers of all branches met for their annual banquet Wednesday evening and had as their special guests, Clarence Brandt, Deputy Sovereign Grand Master and wife of Minnesota and Jennie Sue Pearson, Warden of the IARA of Maryland.

A very beautiful memorial for Vira Reynolds P.P. and who was the president of this group and Brother Frank Rizor P.G.P. by Marjorie Hefte.

The organization voted to give \$20.00 to the Educational Foundation Fund.

REBEKAH DEGREE

Wednesday evening Shamrock Rebekah Lodge No. 296 of Janesville opened lodge for the conferring of the Rebekah Degree on several candidates. The home lodge of our Assembly President, Emerald Rebekah Lodge No. 154 of Keota conferred the degree in a very beautiful manner. At the close of the degree a staff from District No. 77 put a very fine drill.

DELEGATES LUNCHEON

Thursday noon the Delegates luncheon was held in the Roosevelt Hotel, 250 delegates, officers and special guests were present.

The tables were decorated in the President elects colors and flowers with her emblem in the center of the tables.

Sister Lylas introduced her Officers for the coming year, Committee Chairmans and Special Guests after which she presented her program for the coming year and gave out her emblem "Ruth" to the delegates.

MEMORIAL SERVICE GRAND LODGE OF IOWA WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1971

Organ Prelude Selected
Invocation Rev. Arthur Marston
Dep. Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Iowa
Tymn "In the Garden" Barbara Newport
Frank Rizor Past Grand Patriarch,
Grand Encampment of Iowa
Past Department Commander, Patriarchs Militant of Iowa
Eulogy Glenn Morris, Past Grand Patriarch,
Grand Encampment of Iowa
Vira Reynolds Past President
Past Treasurer, Rebekah Assembly of Iowa
Eulogy Margaret McCoy,
Past President, Rebekah Assembly of Iowa
RANK AND FILE
Address Ronald Puhrmann,

Grand Warden, Grand Lodge of Iowa
OUR DECEASED SISTERS

> Dep. Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Iowa Memorial Chairman — Otto Eckley Ushers — Patriarchs Militants

EULOGY FOR FRANK RIZOR PAST GRAND PATRIARCH, GRAND ENCAMPMENT OF IOWA PAST DEPARTMENT COMMANDER OF THE PATRIARCHS MILITANT OF IOWA

By Glen Morris, Past Grand Patriarch

Another year has passed and Iowa Odd Fellows have again met in Annual Session.

Our leaders have brought us good reports of their years work. We also find that while to some of our friends this year has brought joy and gladness, to others it has brought pain and sorrow. Many have answered to the Roll Call above. One, a good friend of mine Brother Frank Rizor, a Past Grand Patriarch of the Grand Encampment and a Past Department Commander of the Patriarchs Militant of Iowa.

Frank Rizor was born December 5, 1897 near Glendale, Iowa, the son of Walter and Ida Frances Rizor. He passed away at 5 P.M. Sunday, April 18, 1971. On June 4, 1918 Frank took for himself a wife, Dollie Huffman of Floris, Iowa who survives as well as a son, Frank Rizor Jr. and three daughters, 14 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

Brother Frank was initiated in the Odd Fellows Lodge No. 629 at Fairfield on September 1, 1922. Moved his membership to Birmingham Lodge No. 36 on October 10, 1938 later joined Jefferson Lodge No. 4 at Fairfield on April 13, 1943 where he held his membership until his death. Frank was appointed and held the office of Grand Guardian in the Grand Lodge of Iowa in 1955. He was initiated in Fairfield November 1922 and was still a member of Hawkeye Rebekah Lodge No. 386.

Frank joined Gilbert Encampment No. 23 at Fairfield on July 2, 1924. He was Chief Patriarch from July 1925 to January 1926. The Gilbert Encampment Charter was surrendered December 1, 1939. Frank reinstated on April 1, 1944 and was a member of Iowa Encampment No. 6 at Fairfield. Frank was installed Grand Patriarch October 1960 at Des Moines and presided in Council Bluffs in 1964, and served as Grand Representative to the Sovereign Grand Lodge in 1963 and 1964.

Frank was initiated in the Patriarchs Militant, Canton Biglow No. 6 at Ottumwa in 1950 and was Captain in 1952. He was elected Department Commander of the Patriarchs Militant of Iowa in 1966. In 1966 and 1967 Frank attended the ceremonial in Arlington Cemetery at the Tomb of the Unknown. In May 1966 Frank and his wife Dollie and the Department Association President, Lady Berniece Westcott placed the wreath on the Tomb.

He presided at the Department Council Session at the Patriarchs

Military Park on the south shores of Clear Lake July 1966, 1967 and 1968. He attended the General Military Council in September 1966 at Philadelphia, Penn., September 1967 at Calgary Canada and 1968 at Miami Beach, Florida where he received the Grand Decoration of Chivalry.

Frank was also a World War I Veteran and a member of Fairfield American Legion and was a Past Commander. He was also a member of the the National Rural Letter Carriers Association and a Board member of the Iowa Association for three years.

The beautiful lessons of life we have learned in our association with him has made our pathway brighter for having known him.

"I OWE OTHERS FRIENDSHIP"

Sister Vira Reynolds choose this as her motto when she served this Grand Jurisdiction as President of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa. This was truly Sister Vira's creed which she practiced all thru her full and busy life, her friends were many and was precious and important elements in her life.

Vira A. Raney was born at Perry, Iowa, April 26, 1892. She graduated from the Perry Normal College in 1910. She departed this life at the Des Moines General Hospital the evening of July 23, 1971 after a lingering illness. She leaves to mourn her departure two daughters, Louise Russel and Lorraine Reddick. Three Granddaughters, one grandson, six great grandchildren and one brother.

Sister Vira and Brother Howard lived their entire married life at 3129 - 7th St., Des Moines. They and two daughters united with the Highland Park Presbyterian Church over 40 years ago. She was always a loving and devoted wife and mother her first loves, then her friends and

lodges.

Sister Vira belonged to all branches of Odd Fellowship being initiated into Leech Rebekah Lodge No. 76 on February 25, 1919 and then was admitted to Sweet Brier Rebekah Lodge No. 188 March 24, 1925. She served as Treasurer for one term followed by five terms as Financial Secy. She was Vice Grand from January to July 1929 and Noble Grand from July 1929 to January 1930. Also she later served the lodge as Recording Secy 10 years. She was District Deputy President in 1930 and 1931, Delegate to the Rebekah Assembly at Council Bluffs 1933 and at Mason City in 1934. She was President of the District Convention held at Ankeny May 10, 1938. During the Rebekah Assembly Session at Sioux City in 1938 she received the Decoration of Chivalry. Sister Vira had eight appointments in the Assembly before she was elected and installed Treasurer in 1941 which she held for three years. In 1944 she was elected and installed Warden of the Rebekah Assembly and in 1946 she elected and installed President presiding at Sioux City October 1947. She served as Representative to the International Association of Rebekah Assemblies at Sacramento California in 1949. She also held one appointment in the I.A.R.A. and three appointments in the International Association Ladies Auxiliary Patriarch Militant.

Sister Vira was a charter member of the Ladies Auxiliary Patriarch Militant serving as Secy. for ten years. She joined the Ladies Encampment Auxiliary in Boone September 28, 1948 later transfering

to Des Moines when the Auxiliary was instituted there serving as Scribe for ten years.

She was Advisor to the President of the Rebekah Assembly Sister

Muriel Galvin in 1950 and Sister Margaret McCoy in 1965.

Sister Vira will be sadly missed with her friendly smile by her family and many many friends as she had not missed an Assembly Session since she started in 1929. At the time of her departure she was President of the Past Officers Association which she had held for many years.

This poem was among Sister Viras poems which I feel sure would

express her feelings.

I'd like to think that here and there When I am gone there shall remain A happier spot that might have not Existed had I lived for gain. That someones cheery voice and smile Shall prove that I have been worthwhile, That I had paid with something fine My debt to God for life Divine.

EULOGY FOR THE RANK AND FILE

Ronald Puhrmann Grand Warden

My Dear Friends, we have met on this Sacred Occasion to honor The Dead! We have heard worthy tribute and praise given to the Great Leaders of Our Fraternal Order, their virtues have been enlarged in our vision, and our hearts have been tenderly moved with compassion for their loved ones and friends.

Without the Rank and File, however, all of these would have been as a government without a people, a general in battle without an army, or a builder on a great project without workers! The greatest leaders we have ever known, would have been less than the dust of the earth,

without a faithful following to uphold and support them!

It is, then, this Rank and File, that we consider today! These are the men, who have rolled up their sleeves, and with the sweat of their brow, and the straining of every figurative muscle, have had the intestinal fortitude to get the job done! These are the real ones that our lodges depend upon! These are the faithful ones — always found in their chair on lodge nights — always ready to fill in for the absent brother — always ready to visit the sick and comfort the sorrowing! Willing to humble themselves to do the most menial of tasks — the first to volunteer, when a job needs to be done! These are the Rank and File! We love the gray heads and the faces wrinkled by age and the storms of life — but if we don't get busy and recruit new members, there will be no Rank and File anymore — just dirty, dingy old Lodge Halls at the top of long flights of stairs, and regalia and chairs covered over with thick layers of dust, and windows blotted out by cob webs! And the people will say, "What kind of an organization used to meet upstairs in that old building!" And some one will say, "Oh that was a

Fraternal Organization called the Odd Fellows — they must have been ODD, for they did nothing to perpetuate their Order and share its truths with others! Does anyone know or care today what they believed in?"

Brothers and Sisters, let us remember the Rank and File! Let us recall every wonderful virtue, every quality of leadership they possessed — then, let us take up **The Challenge**, and **Live** the life, and **Dedicate** ourselves anew to the task of making Friendship, Love, and Truth a WAY OF LIFE as they did! Then our wonderful Order will have the same wonderful vitality that it did in days gone by! Let us be good and faithful members of our Order, building **well** upon the foundation they laid!

In closing I would like to read to you a wonderful poem written by

Rudyard Kipling:

"When the earth's last picture is painted
And the tubes are twisted and dried,
When the oldest colors have faded,
And the youngest critic has died,
We shall rest — and faith, we shall need it —
Lie down for an aeon or two,
Till the Master of all Good Workmen
Shall set us to work anew!

And those who are good shall be happy;
They shall sit in a golden chair;
They shall splash at a ten league canvas
With brushes of comet's hair;
They shall find real Saints to draw from,
Magdalene, Peter, and Paul:
They shall work for an age at a sitting
And never grow weary at all!

And only the Master shall praise them,
And only the Master shall blame,
And no one shall work for money,
And no one shall work for fame,
But each for the joy of the working,
And each in his separate star
Shall draw the thing as he sees it,
For the God of Things as They Are!!!!!!'

-Rudyard Kipling-

ASSEMBLY WARDEN'S MEMORIAL ADDRESS — 1971

We pause today in this sacred sanctuary in loving memory of those who have preceded us — "Beyond the Sunset".

Another year has gone and each of its changing seasons has brought to us joy and gladness and grief and sorrow, and in this great Fraternity of ours the joy for one is the joy for all and the sorrow of one is the sorrow of all.

Today we pay homage to those who have passed through the sunset's

glow to their Eternal Home with God.

Yes, we shall miss our dear ones — their friendly smiles, their helping hands and their loving hearts, but we must be ever grateful to our Maker for their friendship and love we have enjoyed over the years.

May the rich blessings of their years of service to our Order inspire us to rededicate ourselves to the principles of Rebekah - Odd - Fellowship. We will cherish their memory, knowing that their good acts and thoughtful deeds will live with us through the years to come — and as with a pebble tossed in the water, the perpetual circles expand and grow, so we will forever see the results of our brothers and sisters endeavors.

Yesterday is just a dream and tomorrow is a vision of hope, but today we need faith — the faith that we find in our Order, the true meaning of FRIENDSHIP, LOVE and TRUTH.

FRIENDSHIP has a real meaning in our Fraternity. No life is so strong and so complete but that it yearns for the smile of a friend. Our

Heavenly Father truly gave us riches when He gave us friends.

LOVE — love thy neighbor. Ministering to our sick and shut-ins is one of our strongest acts of love. What this world needs now is love — more love. Love is so important in our work and those who have departed from us have fulfilled this during their lifetime.

TRUTH — Speak truth and each word in time shall be a fruitful seed and reap a bountiful harvest. Our friends have performed their duty in

truth.

Always remember that the wonderful structure of Odd-Fellowship was founded on the beautiful truths and precepts of God's Holy Word.

May we, as they have done, exemplify the principles of Friendship, Love and Truth, for life can be compared to a path. If we follow the footsteps laid before us, then we, too, can gain our ultimate goal.

And now, my friends, let me leave you with this thought. In the final moments of the day we look at God's artwork — the evening sunset. We feel peace and tranquility. We find solace in His Magnificence and we know —

Beyond the sunset,
His hand will guide us;
With our dear loved ones
Who've gone before.
His glorious presence,
His words of welcome;
Beyond the sunset
When day is done.

Lovingly in Memory,

Maxine Hackbarth Warden of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa

FORM OF BEQUEST

FOR

ENDOWMENT FUND

FOR Iowa Odd Fellows and Orphans Homes

I Will, Bequeath and Devise Unto The Grand Lodge of Iowa

of the

Independent Order of Odd Fellows, for the use and benefit of the Endowment Fund for the Iowa Odd Fellows and Orphans Homes the sum of

the principal of which shall remain in said Endowment Fund, and only the interest from the same to be used for the maintenance and support of said Homes as directed by the Grand Lodge of Iowa

Report of Home Trustees

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, I.O.O.F. and the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa, I.O.O.F.:

We submit the following report of the business transactions in operating our Homes at Mason City, Iowa, from August 1, 1970 through July 31, 1971.

GENERAL SURVEY

The Board of Trustees consists of three (3) members elected by the Grand Lodge and two members elected by the Rebekah Assembly as follows: Sam Cuvelier, P.G.M., Janesville, Chairman; Wilford Ward, P.G.M., Norway, Co-Chairman; Erma Steincik, P.P., Secretary, Madrid; Tom McCoy, P.G.P., Indianola, and Helen Nelson, P.P., Britt, members.

During the year we have been glad to welcome visits from Virgil E. Bowers, P.G.M. and Chairman of the Grand Lodge Homes Committee; Deputy Grand Master Arthur Marsten; Elizabeth Seitsinger, President of the Rebekah Assembly; Lylas Hayden, Vice President of the Rebekah Assembly; and members of the Advisory Board. We feel that the knowledge gained by co-operation makes for a better understanding of the problems and solutions of each group.

Many lodges and individuals have made donations to the Home in the past year, including several who have donated \$150.00 to furnish a room and some who have donated enough to furnish more than one. This was started as a voluntary project last year. We are also grateful for the continuing donations to the elevator fund.

We are continuing the Activity Room under the able direction of Elaine Miller, where many of the residents spend hours of recreation and rehabilitation. We are in the process of establishing a therapy room on third floor also.

Reverend LaVerne Harcy of Mason City, the minister employed at the Home, conducts services every Sunday in the Chapel. He is a very dedicated man and can be called upon at any time one of the residents feel they would like to have his services.

We have continued the services of Drs. Tice, Wesley, Chang, and Kirkham. One of these doctors calls at the Home each week to care for the residents and they may be taken to their office if they need additional care. If a resident needs to be hospitalized they may be taken to the Mercy Hospital in Mason City. All residents are on Medicare. Some of the residents have their own Health Insurance Policies and these have been paid for by relatives. We have left the cost of operation at \$150.00 per month per resident, but this does not cover the full cost of their care nor does it mean that a member cannot be admitted to the Home if they cannot pay this amount. A member who has belonged for ten (10) consecutive years and is in good standing at the time they make application to enter the Home may do so by any

of three ways: by entering on contract and paying all outside expenses, by turning over all their assets and becoming our responsibility or if they have no source of income they may enter by turning over their Social Security and making it possible for us to apply for Old Age Assistance. If a member comes in on contract at \$150.00 per month this amount will be increased if they become a bed patient and upon the advise of physician. There is no resident in the Home who is not on contract who does not receive at least \$10.00 per month, spending money.

Our big project for the year was making four (4) apartments out of the 1st floor east of the Children's Building. This space was not being used so it was decided that it must be utilized to bring in some income. The Finance Committee of Grand Lodge loaned the Board of Trustees \$25,000.00 from the Home Fund and we took \$2,400.00 from the budget to complete the financing of this project. This is the amount the contractor asked for his work. The painting and finishing was done by Mr. Porter. There are three (3) three - room apartments and one (1) efficiency apartment. All have clothes closets and baths. The three room apartments rent for \$125.00 per month and the efficiency apartment for \$65.00 per month, each with all utilities furnished except phones and air conditioning if they want it. We are very happy to report that all apartments are rented.

INSURANCE

The insurance on the buildings, contents, and the Farm at the Home is carried with the Hartford Insurance Company as follows:

Fire and Extended Coverage (Buildings) Comp	. \$1,517,000.00
Boiler, limited per accident	100,000.00
Comprehensive Liability per person	100,000.00
	300,000.00
	25,000.00
Car Insurance and Liability, \$100.00 Deductible	
Workmen's Compensation	245,000.00
Farm Buildings	51,000.00

HOMES PICNIC

The sixty - second annual Homes Picnic was held July 11, 1971, under the direction of Ronald Puhrmann, Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge, and Maxine Hackbarth, Warden of the Rebekah Assembly.

Our Heavenly Father blessed us with a beautiful day, and over 400 members and friends came to spend the day with our residents.

The Patriarchs Militant and Auxiliary presented the flag raising, and the members of the Grand Encampment under the direction of Kenneth Hollingsworth, Grand Patriarch, handled the parking of cars.

The Ladies Encampment Auxiliary and Sisters from Cherokee and Des Moines assisted with registration, also the sale of the dinner

tickets.

Sunday School and Church services were held in the Chapel and were under the direction of Brother Glen Irwin, Grand Chaplain of the Grand Lodge, and Sister Mary Shafer, Musician of the Rebekah Assembly, assisted by Brother Marston and Rev. Harcey. I am sure all who attended were richly rewarded.

A picnic dinner was served on the front lawn and an interesting program was presented in front of the residents building so that they too, could enjoy the festivities with us.

We wish to express our appreciation to all who assisted in any way in making the day a success.

FOOD SUPPLIES

During the year we have produced the following for use at the Home:

42 Hogs butchered \$1,835.40

20 Beef butchered	8,982.00
Eggs	
Total	¢10.000.40
Sold from the Farm:	\$12,202.40
80 Hogs	\$ 4 432 60
Refunded from State Rehabilitation	348.00
Hay Sold	
Farm Gas Refund	
Soybeans	7,386.06
Hens	
Milk Refund	
1966 Milk Co-op Dividend	
A.S.C.S. Payment	
Corn	2,724.45
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Total	
Total credit from the farm toward the Home Budget	\$29,805.17
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NON-BUDGET EXPENSE:			
Insurance on Residents	\$	541.5	
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Assessment, City of Mason City		.95.6	2
Assessment, City of Mason City		244.1	7
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Home Checks and Supplies	• • • •	01.0	7
Worth County Taxes	• • • •	. 21.0	U
Total Total Budget Expense	\$ 1,	089.7	_ '3 .
Total Home Fund Expenditures		869.3	_ :2

	Amt.	Amt.	Proposed
	Appropriat	ed Spent	Budget
			1971-72
Food	\$ 54,000.00	\$ 48,298.57	\$ 54,000.00
Medical	25,000.00	24,773.53	25,000.00
Salaries		217,984.38	245,000.00
Funerals		None	500.00
Insuarnce		4,455.96	5,000.00
Trustees Expense		2,310.70	2,700.00
Chemicals		3,297.06	3,500.00
Petty Cash		500.00	500.00
Utilities		19,066.93	19,000.00
Car and Truck		430.43	500.00
Soc. Sec. & Unemp. Tax	12,650	12,335.70	13,500.00
Employees' Ins		4,583.04	4,800.00
Home Maint. & Improvement	23,750.00	26,911.73	8,400.00
Service Cont's		8,002.23	8,100.00
Farm Maint		22,829.33	19,500.00
Totals	\$400,000.00	\$395,779.59	\$410,000.00

BURIAL TRUST FUND

Each resident coming into the Home is urged to deposit money in the Burial Trust Fund up to \$750.00 if possible. If they cannot or do not wish to do this it is not mandatory. If they make this deposit and want us to be responsible for their burial we use this money for that purpose. If someone else is responsible for them then this money is paid to them. If a member has no relatives or no one to be responsible for their burial they may be buried in the Memorials Gardens at the Home. This does not mean that the resident MUST be buried at the Home.

If we are responsible for their burial then we may apply for and receive the Social Security Death Benefits.

Balance on hand July 31, 1970	\$10,880.78
Interest December 31, 1970\$	
Interest March 31, 1971	134.80
Interest June 28, 1971	114.82
Deposits	798.05

Total	
Grand Total	
DISBURSEMENTS:	
Funerals	\$2,298.05
Interest to Grand Secretary's Office	503.50
Total	\$2,801.55
Balance on hand July 31, 1971	\$10.380.78

I.O.O.F. CEMETERY

The Memorial Cemetery at the Home is indeed a beautiful spot consisting of 400 plots and 66 of these have been used by residents who have passed away and expressed their desire to be buried there. Each year Memorial Services are held in the cemetery and is much appreciated by those attending. If a funeral is held in the Chapel, Queen Rebekah Lodge of Mason City sends flowers and if asked they will also do the Funeral Ceremony.

ENCAMPMENT AND AUXILIARY PROJECT

The Grand Encampment and Grand Ladies Encampment Auxiliary have continued their worthy project of furnishing combination storm and screen windows for the many windows in the Home. At this report almost \$500.00 has been collected by these branches this year. We do sincerely thank these members for their support as it brings much comfort to the residents as well as cutting down on the heating bills. We do hope they will see fit to continue this worthy project until it is completed.

CONCLUSION

This concludes the report of the Board of Home Trustees for the year 1970-71. We have continued to meet once each month on the last Tuesday of the month at the Home. We feel that each year we are making progress in improving conditions at the Home. Our first and greatest concern is for our aged and indigent members who have chosen to come to us; also the care of any children who may need it. This is the home of the members who have labored long and lovingly to establish and maintain this home and they deserve the very best consideration.

We have again employed Mr. and Mrs. Porter, Mr. Porter for an annual salary of \$8,400.00, subject to the approval of Grand Lodge. We are most grateful to them for their dedicated efforts and we hope they are happy with us.

We extend to everyone an invitation to visit the Home at any time. Our residents look forward to company and you will always find a happy greeting and a warm welcome.

Fraternally submitted: Sam Cuvelier, Chairman; Wilford Ward, Co-Chairman; Erma Steinick, Secretary; Tom McCoy, Trustee; Helen Nelson, Trustee.

APPENDIX



Iowa Odd Fellows and Children's Home, Mason City

Report of

Superintendent and Matron

RESIDENTS OF THE I.O.O.F. HOMES

MEN

NameDate of Admission	No.	Location
Roy R. Ablard, August 9, 1959	148	Marengo
Thad D. Amsbaugh, November 4, 1961	214	Stuart
Frank A. Anderson, December 31, 1955	247	Spencer
Arthur L. Bell, November 19, 1970	229	Ft. Dodge
Roland Bellmer, March 31, 1968	294	Oelwein
Marx E. Birdsell, October 23, 1968	224	Mason City
Ellsworth H. Bond, July 5, 1968	294	Oelwein
Raymond L. Brown, February 7, 1971	72	Waterloo
Clyde Bunn, November 9, 1970	124	Clarion
John W. Coombs, January 5, 1964	310	Allerton
Arthur D. Crawford, May 9, 1970	233	Cedar Falls
Louis F. Cross, May 13, 1961	351	Clarksville
Karl Dorsey, July 3, 1969	76	Centerville
Joe Duitscher, May 13, 1968	68	Eagle Grove
Edward F. Elling, April 11, 1966	218	Hampton
Benjamin F. Fiscus, October 12, 1970	164	Sioux City
George M. Gibson, June 20, 1971	604	West Des Moines
John M. Graversen, July 20, 1967	224	Mason City
Giuseppe Gruosso, April 22, 1965	164	Sioux City
Charles S. Harrison, November 14, 1970	123	Marshalltown
Harold T. Hatcher, February 24, 1964	1	R.L. Tilton
Darwin D. Helm, July 16, 1963	224	Mason City
John F. Jacobson, February 17, 1970	218	Hampton
Jens Jensen, September 8, 1970		
Hans J. Knudesen, June 4, 1969	187	Clear Lake
John A. Krueger, July 23, 1971	728	Lone Tree
Robert Roy Larison, March 5, 1970	1	R.L. Tilton
Henry T. Lemon, October 10, 1963	692	Garner
Robert H. Ludlow, Sr., July 1, 1970	224	Mason City
Frank T. McGavran, September 14, 1968	612	Des Moines
William G. McMillen, April 3, 1967	612	Des Moines
Clarence A. McMullen, January 7, 1968	261	Shenandoah
George W. Mathes, July 24, 1965	233	Cedar Falls
Peter Nelson, October 27, 1949	218	Hampton
Arnt Olsen, September 8, 1962	164	Sioux City
Wilbur R. Paulus, March 27, 1969	606	Council Bluffs
Frank Petrick, June 11, 1961	359	Mt. Vernon
Leander A. Randall, March 1, 1969	440	Forest City
Silvio Sassatelli, September 1, 1963	1	R.L. Tilton
Harry W. Swartfager, May 12, 1955	627	Ankeny

Guy Sween, August 20, 1969	25	Ft. Des Moines
Otto F. Unz, November 6, 1964	357	Scranton
Joseph Wall, October 1, 1970	124	Clarion
Treacy M. Woodruff, August 28, 1963	72	Waterloo

WOMEN

NameDate of Admission	No.	Location
Daisy E. Anderson, April 2, 1970	40	Marshalltown
Grayce M. Anderson, May 19, 1961	74	Olwein
Wilma A. Atherton, May 10, 1950	164	Woodbine
Lizzie M. Beasley, July 2, 1971	54	Waterloo
Campsa Benner, October 2, 1969	334	Britt '
Elizabeth M. Berryman, June 25, 1959	106	Mason City
Gertie Bokirk, June 27, 1970	432	Bagley
Gertie V. Bowen, May 30, 1970	256	Cedar Falls
Margaret Breece, October 4, 1965	376	Iowa City
Lena V. Brown, May 15, 1962	74	Oelwein
Clara Bucheister, April 12, 1971	106	Mason City
Anna M. Buhrmann, March 20, 1971	444	Reinbeck
Ann E. Burbridge, February 26, 1955	388	Council Bluffs
Grace M. Burgett, October 21, 1965	34	Strawberry Point
Mary A. Carey, December 13, 1963	40	Anamosa
Elva Chase, December 1, 1961	217	Garner
Mary Christiansen, July 22, 1968	25	Independence
Mabel V. Chubbuck, November 5, 1969	263	Perry
Helen C. Churchouse, November 30, 1968	106	Mason City
Louise R. Coburn, November 26, 1966	59	Belle Plaine
Susan E. Croot, December 12, 1967	426	Ackley
Jennie Cummings, April 12, 1971	247	Spencer
Lorraine B. Curtis, June 28, 1959	24	Jefferson
Inez W. Curvo, December 2, 1957	105	Clear Lake
Catherine Dedina, November 25, 1966	418	Plymouth
Ida B. Feiereisen, November 7, 1962	79	Cedar Rapids
Mae C. Fenner, May 26, 1962	25	Independence
Ida Mae Ferleman, October 17, 1968	217	Garner
Selma J. Fischer, January 19, 1966	177	Hampton
Marie M. Geister, January 15, 1971	430	Primghar
Inez L. Goelz, August 9, 1969	224	Mason City
Hanora Gordon, June 2, 1970	334	Britt
Muriel D. Harmon, July 15, 1971	3	New Hartford
Edith Harper, December 30, 1968	177	Hampton
Ethel Harrison, November 14, 1970	40	Marshalltown
Grace Heller, May 21, 1960	324	Dumont
Mary E. Hill, June 1, 1968	240	Manly
Grace C. Hiveley, September 9, 1964	144	Eldora
Eva L. Hoff, August 25, 1966	540	Ellston
Rose L. Jacobson, February 17, 1970	218	Hampton
Elizabeth Jorgensen, August 2, 1970	117	Wesley Canton
Agnes Kent, May 13, 1963	353	Grundy Center

Lillian Kent, September 28, 1967	476	Solon
Minnie E. Lalan, June 30, 1971	233	Cedar Falls
Ruth M. Lammert, December 3, 1969	54	Waterloo
Minnie M. Larson, September 25, 1968	105	Clear Lake
Maud Lisle Logsdon, October 31, 1967	108	Ames
Margaret E. McClure, July 16, 1963	25	Independence
Leah L. McCoun, December 10, 1960	205	Storm Lake
Meana M. Massee, April 7, 1966	1	R.L. Tilton
Lora E. Moore, June 24, 1963	572	Des Moines
Iva W. Olofson, July 12, 1967	280	Fort Dodge
Manilla M. Osborn, September 3, 1969	207	Creston
Reva M. Pabst, July 6, 1969	572	Des Moines
Ida Frances Perry, March 10, 1967	429	Northwood
Alice M. Petrick, June 11, 1961	359	Mt. Vernon
Mabel N. Pippert, June 1, 1971	224	Mason City
Grace L. Porter, November 16, 1967	350	Macksburg
Gertrude L. Pratt, June 2, 1969	47	Creston
Susie M. Pratt, June 18, 1964	390	Waverly
Carrie A. Rheingans, July 15, 1965	224	Mason City
Jessie B. Rommann, July 17, 1968	75	Garrison
Evelyn Sandord, April 16, 1969	483	Nora Springs
Helen P. Scott, November 10, 1965	501	Clarion
Anna R. Sears, November 6, 1960	154	Hartley
Ida M. Secor, October 7, 1963	372	Cherokee
Lola B. Shepherd, April 22, 1963	50	Fort Dodge
Effie M. Smithhart, July 27, 1966	572	Des Moines
Fannie B. Sprinkel, May 12, 1955	355	Logan
Luella Stohlgren, March 13, 1966	215	Des Moines
Katheryn D. Stevens, August 25, 1960	237	Newton
Emma Thompson, July 12, 1971	487	Madrid
Vera Timmerman, November 3, 1970	137	Sheffield
Lois D. Tostenson, April 28, 1968	55	Estherville
Millie A. Triplett, January 15, 1965	196	Iowa Falls
Bessie E. Trupp, October 3, 1964	54	Waterloo
Augusta H. Warner, November 18, 1969	106	Mason City
Berthina B. Waterman, September 3, 1941	54	Waterloo
Mabel P. Wilder, July 24, 1971	240	Manly
Blanche A. Wilson, June 11, 1957	25	Independence
Ilia Woodruff, January 31, 1956	452	Jewell
Margaret M. Zimmerman, August 8, 1961	3	Council Bluffs
Lillian E. Zwick, July 9, 1971		Primghar

ADMITTED DURING THE YEAR

MEN

NameDate of Admission	No.	Location
Arthur L. Bell, November 19, 1970	229	Fort Dodge
Raymond L. Brown, February 7, 1971	72	Waterloo
Clyde Bunn, November 9, 1970	124	Clarion

Otto Cummings, April 12, 1971	247	Spencer
Benjamin F. Fiscus, October 12, 1970	164	Sioux City
George M. Gibson, June 20, 1971	604	West Des Moines
Charles S. Harrison, November 14, 1970	123	Marshalltown
Henry "Harry" Huntley, August 18, 1970	187	Clear Lake
Jens Jensen, September 8, 1970		
John A. Krueger, July 23, 1971	728	Lone Tree
Otis L. Lowder, January 8, 1971	705	La Porte City
Joseph Wall, October 1, 1970	124	Clarion

WOMEN

NameDate of Admission	No.	Location
Lizzie May Beasley, July 2, 1971	54	Waterloo
Clara Bucheister, April 12, 1971	106	Mason City
Anna M. Buhrmann, March 20, 1971	444	Reinbeck
Jennie Cummings, April 12, 1971	247	Spencer
Marie M. Geister, January 15, 1971	430	Primghar
Muriel D. Harmon, July 15, 1971	3	New Hartford
Ethel Harrison, November 14, 1970	40	Marshalltown
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Vera Timmerman, November 3, 1970	137	Sheffield
Mabel P. Wilder, July 24, 1971	240	Manly
Lillian E. Zwick, July 9, 1971		Primghar

DISMISSED DURING THE YEAR

MEN

NameDate Dismissed	Reason
Otis Lee Lowder, January 29, 1971	Own request

DEATHS DURING THE YEAR

MEN

NameDate of Death	Trace of Burrar
Laurence A. Camp, July 2, 1971 John Carlson, September 1, 1970 Otto Cummings, June 5, 1971 Henry Gjetley, March 9, 1971 Fred F. Hall, November 22, 1970 Henry "Harry" Huntley, October 19, 1970 Max J. Lehmann, February 19, 1971	Home Cemetery Eagle Grove Hartley Decorah Iowa Falls Clear Lake Shelby
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Henry McMahon, April 28, 1971 Harry E. Poundstone, May 20, 1971 Howard Werkhoven, April 4, 1971

Melbourne Clarion Home Cemetery

WOMEN

Name	Data	of Do	th
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Bessie A. Bunker, January 8, 1971	Manchester
Vivan V. Cook, April 14, 1971	Osage
Eleanor I. Cooke, November 6, 1970	Renwick
Louise G. Elliott, October 26, 1970	Mason City
Margarete D. Martin, September 25, 1970	Iowa City
Alta May Oettchen, December 15, 1970	Mason City
Leta I. Reynolds, November 22, 1970	Nora Springs
Anna Slavik, August 9, 1970	Plymouth
Dora E. Timion, April 2, 1971	Denver

SUMMARY OF RESIDENTS

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Men
Women
Total
Dismissed Duning the Veen.
Dismissed During the Year:
Men
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Total
Deaths During the Year:
Men
Women9
women
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Total 19
Residents in the Home July 31, 1970:
Men44
Women
33
Total
10.21
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ENTERTAINMENT FUND

Total Cash Received	\$1,843.99 842.73
Total	\$2,686.72
August 1, 1971 Balance	\$ 614.06

To the Officers and Members of our great order. It's possible that our membership has been declining but the support you have given us has

been on the increase. With the rooms you have furnished and the money donations to other projects that have been helpful to the Home and its residents.

It's our pleasure of working with the Board of Trustees and the interest they have for our Home and the comfort for the residents.

Our President's project has provided us with many towels and wash cloths. We thank her for her time and interest.

Our Advisory Board is always among the unsung heroes. Berle and his helpers are doing many things we take for granted, but we need each and every person, employees, officers, and members to make this work.

We thank you for the privilege to work with you and for you.

Richard and Dorothy Porter

Homes Committee Report

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, I.O.O.F.:

This has been an opportunity to, again, sit in with the I.O.O.F. Homes Trustees, to talk with our Superintendent, Richard Porter, and to observe the things that have been done and are now being done at the

The crops were good, the appearance of the buildings and grounds

was better than many times in the past.

The remodeling of a portion of the past children's quarters into four apartments appear to be a great improvement. There is room for many more apartments in the same building, and it is possible that the same thing can be done with the now unused Hospital Building.

The problems of the present Board are much the same as in the past, except that now there are more funds available to do the things that

need to be done.

I take this opportunity to review the things that are helping today. I believe that the beginning of a big change dating back to the Home Trustees' Report under "Conslusion", found on page 99 of the 1964

proceedings of the Grand Lodge, the first two paragraphs were:

"During the past year we trustees have made a general survery of the operations of our Homes. For many years a great many members of our Order, in the State of Iowa, have thought that the cost of operations at the home might be too high. May we say that our findings, at this time, show that what we really need is to bring our thinking and actions up to date. We believe the following quote from the report of our Jr. Past Sovereign Grand Master, Oakford A. Schalick, fit the situation very well. "Our Homes are the great pillars of Odd Fellowship. We were pioneers in this field and we have a tremendous record of our accomplishments, but we are living in a changing world and I do not feel that we have changed with the times. I believe that we must take a new look at our procedure of admissions and introduce new methods in providing various accommodations for our guests. This is a highly technical field today and we must redouble our efforts to lead the way. We are losing hundreds of thousands of dollars in many of our Homes because the Boards are not properly informed of financial procedure.

We have endeavored to make necessary changes this past year. As an example, we must no longer take in residents who will not cooperate with us in obtaining Old Age Pension when it is possible to get it. We must, in as many cases as possible, get other forms of assistance. Years past, we received many bequests. Today what would have been savings is paid to the Government and paid back to us in various ways; so that is where we now have to look to for much of the support of the This past year money collected by or through our Superintendent and the Trustees was about 1/2 the cost of operation of the Homes. We haven't any way near, reached the top amount that is

possible to get. You can rest assured that we are working on it and that all new residents, where such aid is available, we will receive the maximum amount of that aid.

Not too long after that the Trustees approved the making of a chart that showed, after the name of each resident, the amount received for his support and the source. Example: Mr. X Social Security, Welfare, Pension, Contract, etc. The research was done by Dorothy Johnson, an employee in the office of the Homes Superintendent. With the chart it was easy to see where to work to get more funds. The chart was first used by our then new superintendent, Richard Porter. Now a full record is kept of each resident at the Homes and every means is employed to get available funds.

Admitting residents on a contract rather than requiring the member to turn over all of his or her property gave the home another needed

boost.

Such things as selling the dairy herd, remodeling the kitchen, and now making into apartments space that has not been used for some time, along with many other small changes and improvements are making our Home a better place to live at a cost to our members that

is no higher than it was several years ago.

When the Iowa Odd Fellows Home was started the entire support came from per capita tax and from the Homes farm. The per capita tax came from the Subordinate Lodge members only. By 1964 only ¼ of the cost of operating the Home came from per capita tax with the Rebekah Assembly paying a total of more than the amount paid by the Grand Lodge. This past year only a little more than ¼ of the support came from per capita tax.

Times continue to change and we will need to continue changing to

keep up.

I have a recommendation to make. In the contract for the support of a paid resident, a clause be added to allow an increase in the support money to coincide with the cost of living. This amount has been \$150.00 for several years. Perhaps we are already behind times. At least the clause should be in the contract so if it becomes necessary, the amount can be increased.

I thank our Grand Master, Milo Robinson, for giving me the opportunity to serve as chairman of this committee, I thank the Trustees, and Superintendent, Richard Porter and Dorothy Porter, for their co-operation and hospitality.

Fraternally submitted by

E. Virgil Bowers Chairman Homes Committee

The Forty-fifth Annual Report of the Iowa Odd Fellows and Orphans Home Endowment Fund Committee

SUMMARY OF CONTRIBUTIONS

Subordinate Lodges and Century Club Members Rebekah Lodges and Century Club Members Encampment Contributions Unidentified Contributions		167.20
Total Contributions	\$	583.95
ENDOWMENT FUND AS OF JULY 31, 1971		
Amount in Fund July 31, 1970		
Total Amount in Fund July 31, 1971	. \$672	,489.13
STATEMENT OF FUNDS		
Balance in Fund July 31, 1970 Contributions, August 1, 1970 to July 31, 1971 Interest, Dividends, and Other Earnings Securities Matured and Sold Accrued Interest and Premium Received Total Securities Purchased	45,	583.95 ,497.55 ,574.64 450.00 ,209.80
Interest and Dividends Drawn for Home Expense for Fiscal Year Accrued Interest and Premiums Paid Cash in Fund, July 31, 1971	44	,829.61 667.94 695.20
Total		,209.80
Atlantic Richfield, Preferred		280.00 200.00

American Standard
Ana conda Copper
American Tel. and Tel
American Brands
American Cyanamid
American Natural Gas318.75
Arm co Steel 130.00
Baxter Laboratories
Borden Company 240.00
Broadstreet Investing Company 806.03
Commonwealth Edison
Consolidated Edison
Eastman Kodak
Ford Motor Company
General Electric
General Motors Corp
Interstate Power
Illinois Power
Iowa, Illinois Gas and Electric Co
Magnovox Company 120.00
National Lead
Northern Illinois Gas Company 1.29
Northern States Power
Northern Natural Gas
Pacific Gas and Electric
Charles Pfizer Company
Quaker Oats Company
R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company 240.00
Standard Brands 160.00
Standard Oil of California
Standard Oil of Indiana
Standard Oil of New Jersey937.50
Square D. Company
Union Carbide
United States Steel Corporation
F.W. Woolworth
Interest on Bonds
Haymond Brothers - Interest on Contract
Wyoming Farm - 1970 Wheat
Interest on Short Time Paper
Stockwell Farm Earnings
Total Farmings 9 1 70 to 7 21 71
Total Earnings 8-1-70 to 7-31-71 \$ 45,497.55
Less Expense for Fiscal Year
Paid to Home for Earnings for Fiscal Year \$ 44,829.61
NOTE: The characteristic is a contract.
NOTE: The above amount includes \$1,864.70 received on the Lemuel
Stockwell Foundation Bonds.

RECAPITULATION OF EARNINGS

REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA	229
Dividends on Vial Foundation Stock	
Interest on Bonds	
Interest on Contracts	,
Stockwell Farm Earnings	
Short Time Paper	
Total Earnings	\$ 45 497 55
	ψ 10, 101.00
EXPENSE	
Taxes, Wyoming Farm	\$ 64.64
Lock Box	
Wall Street Journal	
Supplies Committee Expense	
Legal	
2 per cent on Wyoming Farm Earnings	
Total Expense for Fiscal Year	\$ 667.94
SECURITIES MATURED AND SOLD	
SECURITES MATURED AND SOLD	
Aug. G.M.A.C. Note - Mature 8-18-70	
Sept. Sale of Bond - H	
Dec. Savings for Investment	
Jan. Haymond Brothers - Payment on Land Contract	
Jan. Broadstreet Investing Company - Grain	
Feb. G.M.A.C. Note - Mature 2-16-71	33,739.20
March James Talcott Note - March 20, 1971	
May G.M.A.C. Note - Mature 5-20-71	•
May Sale of Rights - Commonwealth Edison	
July Sale of G.M.A.C. Note - Mature 7-20-71	
Total Securities Matured and Sold	\$336,574.64
SECURITIES PURCHASED	
Aug. G.M.A.C. Note - Mature 2-16-71	\$ 33,739.20
Oct. 60 Shares - Northern States Power	1,290.00
Oct. 7 Shares - Northern Natural Gas	
Oct. First State Bank - Savings	
Dec. Mountain Tel. and Tel. Bond	
Feb. 52-151 Shares - Northern Illinois Gas	
Feb. G.M.A.C. Note - Mature 5-20-71	34,628.13
March 25 Shares - Consolidated Edison	
March G.M.A.C. Note - Mature 5-20-71	
May G.M.A.C. Note - Mature 7-20-71	
July 12 Shares - American Tel. and Tel	•
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Total Securities Purchased\$335,531.52		
PREMIUMS AND ACCRUED INTEREST		
Premium on \$10,000.00 - Mountain Tel. and Tel Paid\$ 615.20 Premium Paid on Mountain Tel. and Tel. Received		
ACCRUED INTEREST PAID		
Mountain Tel. and Tel 80.00		
ACCRUED INTEREST RECEIVED		
Mountain Tel. and Tel \$80.00		
CAPITAL GAIN ACCOUNT		
No Changes - Balance of Capital Gain Account 7-31-71 \$ 6,697.38 NOTE: This is incorporated into the Endowment Fund.		
STATEMENT OF FUNDS		
1919 Shares of Broadstreet Investing Fund - Vial Foundation		
SHORT TERM PAPER		
G.M.A.C. Note - Maturing 1-15-72 \$ 75,000.00		
STOCKWELL BONDS		
H Bonds		
Total\$ 39,000.00		
INDUSTRIAL BONDS		
Mountain States Tel. and Tel. \$ 10,000.00 Premiums on Bonds 245.20 Total \$ 10,245.20		
BONDS		
U.S. Bonds - Series H \$ 20,000.00 U.S. Gond - 734 per cent - 1973 145,000.00 U.S. Coupon Bonds - 1972 42,000.00 U.S. Coupon Bonds - 1972 6,000.00 Total \$213,000.00		

CONTRACTS

Haymond Brothers - Balance on Contract	\$	17,453.12
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STOCKS, DEBENTURES, AND CORP. BONDS

No. of		Per	Yi	eld At	Our
Share	s Name of Company	Share	Our (Cost In	vestment
	• •		perc	entage	
100	Atlantic Richfield (Common)		2.00		
100	Atlantic Richfield (Preferred)		2.80	5.8	8,252.28
	(Atlantic Richfield 2.80 Accumulati	ve Prefe			,
50	Anaconda Company		1.00	3.1	2,332.14
50	American Standard (Preferred)		4.75	7.6	3,097.76
12	American Tel. & Tel.				-,
	(Preferred)				600.00
	(American Tel. & Tel. 4.00 Accumu	lative P	referr	ed)	
250	American Tel. & Tel.		2.60	6.7	9,682.71
50	American Brands		2.12	6.0	1,779.01
200	American Cyanamid		1.25	5.5	4,504.01
150	American Natural Gas		2.20	5.4	5,862.15
100	Armco Steel		1.00	5.1	2,556.01
1000	Baxter Laboratories		.11	0.99	11,078.41
200	Borden Company		1.20	3.0	7,871.29
325	Consolidated Edison		1.80	5.2	11,167.24
50	Commonwealth Edison		2.20	4.3	2,553.29
50	Eastman Kodak		1.00a	1.8	3,733.40
200	Ford Motor Company		2.40	6.9	6,895.73
300	General Electric		1.40	3.6	10,797.86
250	General Motors		1.70	6.1	13,982.66
150	Interstate Power		1.28	5.9	3,124.47
1000	Illinois Power		2.20	7.4	27,286.29
1000	Iowa-Illinois Gas Electric		1.38	5.8	23,592.22
			1.20	2.5	4,845.09
100	Magnovox National Lead		1.00	2.3 2.7	•
300	Northern Illinois Gas Company				12,926.19
2			1.78	1.0	13.06
660	Northern States Power		1.70	6.8	, –
107	Northern Natural Gas		2.60	6.1	4,542.50
1000	Pacific Gas & Electric		1.64	0.0	20,454.38
150	Charles Pfizer		.60	2.3	4,267.55
225	Quaker Oats Company		1.00	4.2	5,324.41
100	R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Co.		2.40	5.6	4,271.34
100	Standard Brands		1.60	5.0	3,226.92
441	Standard Oil of California		2.80	7.1	17,329.53
300	Standard Oil of Indiana		2.30	7.6	9,045.72
250	Standard Oil of New Jersey		1.80	7.6	12,174.61
150	Square D Company		.80	3.5	4,081.17
300	Union Carbide		2.00	4.5	13,406.55
150	U.S. Steel Corp.		2.40	4.8	7,379.89
300	F.W. Woolworth		1.20	7.1	5,070.28
Tot	al Stocks July 31, 1971				\$304,712.23

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SUMMARY

Corporate Stocks, Debentures, and Bonds	\$304,712.23
Industrial Bonds	10,245.20
Vial Foundation Stock	11,593.05
Stockwell Bonds	39,000.00
U.S. Bonds	213,000.00
Short Time Paper	75,000.00
Haymond Brothers Contract	17,453.12
Cash on Hand	1,485.53
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Total Amount in Endowment Fund, July 31, 1971	\$672,489.13

PAST PRESIDENTS

Past Presidents From Organizations of the Rebekah Assembly to Present Time, Place of Meeting and the Year They Served

President and Address	Location	Date
+Carrie T. Dimond	Des Moines	1888-1889
+Alice Bellamy	Des Moines	1889-1890
+Alice Bellamy	Dubuque	1890-1891
+Sarah E. Carmichael	Council Bluffs	1891-1892
+Lydia E. Kramer	Clinton	1892-1893
+Amelia H. Weitz-McPherrin	Burlington	1893-1894
+E. Olive Bulen	Marshalltown	1894-1895
+Helen R. Griffith	Mason City	1895-1896
+Lizzie B. Matthews	Davenport	1896-1897
+Belle Boyd-Hetzel	Council Bluffs	1897-1898
+Blanche J. Quigley	Waterloo	1898-1899
	Keokuk	1899-1900
+Agnes M. Mercer		
+Alice Babbit	Creston	1900-1901
+ Ida Van Horn	Clinton	1901-1902
+Laura L. Kent	Sioux City	1902-1903
+Ida A. Tufford	Mason City	1903-1904
+ Josie V. Hukill	Cedar Rapids	1904-1905
+S. Elizabeth Nelson	Dubuque	1905-1906
+Cora E. Chapin	Des Moines	1906-1907
+Mary E. Kellogg	Marshalltown	1907-1908
+Alta Striker, Mason City	Davenport	1908-1909
+Hattie Barquist	Cedar Rapids	1909-1910
+Helen Peescott	Council Bluffs	1910-1911
+Lena T. Ring	Sioux City	1911-1912
+Effie L. Butcher	Fort Dodge	1912-1913
+Allie Scott, Keokuk	Burlington	1913-1914
+Harriett Stvenson	Waterloo	1914-1915
+Josie F. Cutting	Clinton	1915-1916
+Effie Graham	Des Moines	1916-1917
+Leah Washburn, Long Beach, Cal.	Mason City	1917-1918
+Georgia Quigley	Ames	1918-1919
+ Margaret Schechter	Keokuk	1919-1920
+Emma Miller	Des Moines	1920-1921
+Nannie Buckley	Iowa City	1921-1922
+Maude Bunker	Cedar Rapids	1922-1923
+Nelle Hazlett	Sioux City	1923-1924
+Prudence J. Warner	Ottumwa	1924-1925
+Ruth Neff Miller	Mason City	1925-1926
+ Barbara T. Quinn	Keokuk	1926-1927
+Mame Butts	Fort Dodge	1927-1928
+Mae E. Welch, Des Moines	Oelwein	1928-1929
+ Dorathea Diercks	Des Moines	1929-1930
+ Elizabeth Van Ness	Clinton	1930-1931
+Nellie L. Miller	Cedar Rapids	1931-1932
+Lola E. Clinton	Council Bluffs	1932-1933
T Doid E. Cilitoii	Council Diulis	1992-1999

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D 25 17 17 1	Mason City	1933-1934
+Rosa M.U. Heninger	Marshalltown	1934-1935
+Rose Viall	Burlington	1935-1936
Esther L. Hick, Altoona	Des Moines	1936-1937
+Caroline E. Darby	Sioux City	1930-1937
+ Josephine M. Dustin	Waterloo	
+Marie C. Novak	Council Bluffs	1938-1939 1939-1940
+Ethel M. Miller, Keokuk		
+Nelle Crawford, Cedar Falls	Fort Dodge	1940-1941
+Ada F. Woods, Des Moines	Da venport	1941-1942
+Ruth Hamblin	Des Moines	1942-1943
Doris Huffman, Mason City	Des Moines	1943-1944
Hazel Schaller, Des Moines	Cedar Rapids	1944-1945
Mae E. Burbank, Waterloo	Mason City	1945-1946
Vira Reynolds, Des Moines	Sioux City	1946-1947
Leona Woodbury, Charles City	Des Moines	1947-1948
+Gussie Merriam	Waterloo	1948-1949
Muriel Galvin, Knoxville	Fort Dodge	1949-1950
Vivian Nelson, Clear Lake	Cedar Rapids	1950-1951
Hallie H. Posnecker, Des Moines	Des Moines	1951-1952
Leone Stokka, Ames	Council Bluffs	1952-1953
Louise Allen, Clinton	Des Moines	1953-1954
Lucile Shanda, Elberon	Cedar Rapids	1954-1955
Bertha Wymore, Rose Hill	Des Moines	1955-1956
Helen Nelson, Britt	Sioux City	1956-1957
Stella Winget, Des Moines	Marshalltwon	1957-1958
Irene Schulz, Fort Dodge	Cedar Rapids	1958-1959
Erma Steinick, Madrid	Des Moines	1959-1960
+Kathryn Kelley, Council Bluffs	Council Bluffs	1960-1961
LeNora Schuknecht, Cedar Rapids	Cedar Rapids	1961-1962
Abby Calhoun, Agency	Ottumwa	1962-1963
Shirley R. Lubberden, Des Moines	Waterloo	1963-1964
Margaret McCoy, Indianola	Mason City	1964-1965
LaVada Petersen, Newell	Ottumwa	1965-1966
Hazel Lyons, Yale	Marshalltown	1966-1967
Lucile Shanda, Elberon	Cedar Rapids	1967-1968
Frances Simpson, Boone	Des Moines	1968-1969
Marjorie Hefte, Britt	Des Moines	1969-1970
Elizabeth Seitsinger, Keota	Cedar Rapids	1970-1971
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DISTRICT DEPUTY PRESIDENTS

Dis	tName	Form Town
1	Ruth Martin	Fontanelle
3	Jean Pufahl	Waukon
4	Eva Reeves	Mystic
5	Helen M. Hansen	Audubon
6	Mary Hoon	Shellsburg
	Hella Yarrow	
	Juanita McCoy	
	Thelma Schroeder	

REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF IOWA

10	Leona Bergstrom	. Independence
11	Verna Belle Bellows	Newell
12	Norma Knapp	
13	Inez Yoder	
14	Arlene Edwards	
15	Edna Lantz	
16	Margaret Holladay	Mechanicville
17	Neta Rodgers	Mason City
18	Helen Curran	_
19	Pearl Van Kloeck	
20	Ethel Ramsey	
21		
	Elsie Anderson	-
22	Geraldine Hallberg	
23	Marjorie Sweeney	
24	Helen Cue	Dow City
25	Leila Hiatt	Adel
26	Mabel Barker	
27	Oma Smith	-
28	Janet Brockmeyer	
29	•	
30	Margaret Rupe	
	Laura Flisc	_
31	Florence Adams	
32	Gladys Eastman	
33	Shirley Olesen	
34	Dorothy Hoeft	. Charles City
35	Gladys Bergman	Hampton
36	Maxine Nahkust	Hamburg
37	Vava Monthie	Rippey
38	Kathryn Clapp	Dike
39	Marilyn Roberts	Stuart
40	Lorna Richardson	. Webster City
41	Alta Nelson	Garner
42	Alma Doud	
43	Mary Perry	
44	Lela Gipple	
45	Sylvia Sanborn	
46		
	Mildred Altman	·
47	Carol Odgaard	
48	Blythe Bowen	
49	Eva Haynes	
50	Pearl McKeag	Newton
51	Mildred Shaner	
52	Mary Elizabeth Westcott	Iowa City
53	Beryl May	Anamosa
54	Margery Bowns	
55	Esther Smith	
56	Alice M. Macklin	•
57	Henrietta Seabrooke	
01	Gladys Hanna	
58	Roberta Boulton	-
59 60	Eunice Smith Esther Larson	
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61 Ethel Henry Earlham

62	Avis Davis	Oskaloosa
63	Thelma Hecathorn	Hamilton
64	Donna Vogt	Melbourne
65	Edith Clark	Glenwood
67	Mildred Sherman	
68	Janie Arnold	Albia
69	Katie Selser	Red Oak
70	Freda Steen	West Liberty
71	Callie Wieman	Sanborn
73	Zula Pfander	Clarinda
74		Em metsburg
76		Pocahontas
77		West Des Moines
		Des Moines
78		Council Bluffs
79		Montezuma
80		
81		Odebolt
82		LeClaire
83		Shelby
85		
86	•	Tama
87		Lenox
88		Creston
89		Selma
90		
91		Carlisle
92		
93		Lineville
94		Fort Dodge
95	•	Forest City
96		Decorah
97		Anthon
98		
99		
33	Euth Hann	Clairon
	REBEKAH	LODGES
	BY DISTRICTS WIT	TH MEMBERSHIP
	trict No. 1—Adair Co.	District No. 4
Ma	rtha 37, Greenfield 29	District No. 4 —Appanoose Co.
Cor	a 143, Fontanelle39	Welcome 91, Moulton77
		Anna 95, Centerville46
	Total68	Mystic 255, Mystic 29
		Moravia 404, Moravia 29
Dis	trict No. 3—Allamakee Co.	m 4 1
Pos	t 48, Postville17	Total181
Cen	tral Star 403, Rossville24	Did i A N
		District No. 5—Audubon Co.
	Total41	Audubon 459, Audubon 90

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Total90	District 13—Calhoun Co. Star 30, Lake City 59 Farnhamville 109, Farn'ville 14
District No. 6—Benton Co. Sincere 59, Belle Plaine 89	Zerah 210, Rockewell City 25
Orion 63, Shellsburg 49	Lincoln 278, Lohrville 48
Garrison 75, Garrison 48 Mt. Auburn 496, Mt. Auburn 46	Total146
Total232	District No. 14—Carroll Co. Golden Link 10, Coon R 71
District No. 7—Black Hawk Co.	Central 191, Carroll 32
Temple 54, Waterloo 159	Total103
Happy Thought 256, C.F 152 Thistle 261, La Porte City 103	District No. 15 Co C-
Doras 564, Hudson34	District No. 15—Cass Co. Lotus 87, Atlantic 85
Total448	Griswold 480, Griswold 54
District No. 8—Boone Co.	Total139
Victoria 101, Ogden23 Boone 301, Boone103	District No. 16—Cedar Co.
Madrid 487, Madrid 87	Helping Hand 517, Tipton83
Total213	Total83
District No. 2	Dist. No. 17—Cerro Gordo Co.
District No. 9—Bremer Co. Bremer 98, Sumner 28	Tina 105, Clear Lake 163 Queen 106, Mason City 252
Shamrock 296, Janesville 153	San Juan 418, Plymouth 11
Total181	Total426
District No. 10—Buchanan Co.	District No. 18—Cherokee Co.
Lilium 25, Independence109	Diadem 372, Cherokee118
Heliotrope 366, Brandon 15	Washta 373, Washta 27 Larrabee 590, Larrabee 14
Total124	
Did No 44 D	Total159
Dist. No. 11—Buena Vista Co. Storm Lake 205, S. Lake 167	District No. 19—Chickasaw Co.
Buena Vista 258, Newell 57	Nashua 505, Nashua 84
Marathon 437, Marathon 34	Golden Palace 578, N. H'ton 25
Total258	Total109
District No. 12—Butler Co.	District No. 20—Clarke Co.
Anchor 46, New Hartford 44	Sarah 57, Osceola
Zora 189, Shellrock 51	Esther 138, Murray20
Inspriation 324, Dumont 28 Clarksville 533, Clarksville 83	Total92
Total206	District No. 21—Clay Co.

Spencer 28, Spencer 119 Silver Maple 283, Royal 18	District No. 29—Des Moines Co. Ruth 12, Burlington 10
Total 137	Belle 17, Sperry 24 Paul Caster 348, Burlington 30
District No. 22—Clayton Co. Josephine 7, Guttenburg 25	Total64
Strawberry 34, St'berry Pt 13	District No. 30—Dickinson Co.
	Silver Star 431, Lake Park66
Total38	Spirit Lake 447, Spirit Lake59
District No. 23—Clinton	Total 125
Clinton 13, Clinton 146	
Silver Lining 82, DeWitt 22 Low Moor 102, Low Moor 47	District No. 31—Dubuque Co.
Gr. Mound 513, Gr. Mound 14	Dubuque 173, Dubuque 26
	Total26
Total229	
District No. 24 Crowford Co.	District No. 32—Emmett Co.
District No. 24—Crawford Co. Denison 420, Denison 32	Harmony 55, Estherville 49
—————	Bonanza 435, Armstrong40
Total 32	Total89
District No. 25—Dallas Co.	District No. 33—Fayette Co.
Sunbeam 73, Adel 50	Jefferson 74, Oelwein111
Elden 126, Linden 18	Starlight 80, Alpha 16
Venus 160, Redfield 36	West Union 97, W. Union 47
Eva Ann 197, Dexter 35 Ednah 263, Perry	Arlington 328, Arlington 21
Total	Total 195
10tai 203	District No. 34—Floyd Co.
District No. 26—Davis Co.	C. Valley 226, Chas. City 107
Bloomfield 1, Bloomfield 185	Nora Springs 483, N. Spr 67
Troy Union 510, Troy 37	————
Total 222	Total174
Total 222	District No. 25 Franklin Co.
District No. 27—Decatur Co.	District No. 35—Franklin Co. White Lily 137, Sheffield27
Freindship 235, Decatur 45	Rosella 177, Hampton 84
Equal Rights 419, Leon 81	
	Total111
Total126	District No. 20 Every out Co.
District No. 28—Delaware Co.	District No. 36—Fremont Co. Hamburg 88, Hamburg 75
Crescent 142, Manchester 87	Cornelia 252, Riverton 42
Colesburg 428, Colesburg 33	Randolph 368, R'dolph22
Maple 519, Greeley 14	
Delhi 595, Delhi 12	Total139
Total146	District No. 37—Greene Co.
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Beulah 24, Jefferson63	Pisgah 451, Pisgah 7
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Elizabeth 444, Reinbeck 59	
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Mizpah 92, Guthrie C'ter 95	Total104
Bagley 432, Bagley 114	51
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Total402	Oak 361, Battle Creek 13
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District No. 40—Hamilton Co.	Total
Purity 72, Webster City98	10001
Gold Leaf 107, B'burg 42	District No. 48 - Iowa Co.
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	Marengo 320, Marengo 61
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Loyalty 217, Garner 38	Total220
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Charity 334, Britt109	District No. 49 – Jackson Co.
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Total185	Oakland 65, Oakland	. 39
10tal	Unity 388, Council Bluffs	108
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Clutier 22, Clutier 22	
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	Miawa 146, Humeston 98
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Dis	t. Name	No.	Location	County	Meeting Night
42	Pink	426	Ackley	Hardin	2nd, 4th Tues.
25	Sunbeam	73	Adel	Dallas	1st, 3rd Thurs.
88	Ivy	39	Afton	Union	2nd, 4th Thurs.
90	Olive and Oak	455	Agency	Wapello	1st, 3rd Tues.
68	Albia	323	Albia	Monroe	1st, 3rd Mon.
55	Algona	365	Algona	Kossuth	2nd, 4th Tues.
93	Prairie Gem	131	Allerton	Wayne	2nd, 4th Mon.
33	Starlight	80	Alpha	Fayette	1st, 3rd Thurs.
85	Marian	108	Ames	Story	2nd, 4th Thurs.
53	Evangeline	31	Anamosa	Jones	1st, 3rd Mon.
77	Ideal	493	Ankeny	Polk	2nd, 4th Tues.
97	Valley	338	Anthon	Woodbury	1st, 3rd Wed.
33	Arlington	328	Arlington	Fayette	1st, 3rd Mon.
32	Bonanza	435	Armstrong	Emmett	2nd, 4th Wed.
15	Lotos	87	Atlantic	Cass	2nd, 4th Thurs.
5	Audubon	459	Audubon	Audubon	1st, 3rd Fri.
39	Bagley	432	Bagley	Guthrie	2nd, 4th Tues.
47	Oak	361	Battle Creek	Ida	2nd, 4th Mon.
38	Beaman	554	Beaman	Grundy	2nd, 4th Tues.
87	Golden Rule	134	Bedford	Taylor	1st, 3rd Tues.
6	Sincere	59	Belle Plaine	Benton	2nd, 4th Tues.
99	Golden Rod	162	Belmond	Wright	2nd, 4th Mon.
80	Benton	523	Benton	Ringgold	2nd, 4th Mon.
90	Celia	570	Blakesburg	Wapello	1st, 3rd Mon.
40	Gold Leaf	107	Blairsburg	Hamilton	1st, 3rd Tues.
26	Bloomfield	1	Bloomfield	Davis	1st, 3rd Fri.
89	Bonaparte	122	Bonaparte	Van Buren	1st, 3rd, Wed.
77	May Henry	165	Bondurant	Polk	2nd, 4th Mon.
8	Boone	301	Boone	Boone	1st, 3rd Mon.

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10	Heliotrope	366	Brandon	Buchanan	2nd, 4th Mon.
41	Charity	334	Britt	Hancock	2nd, 4th Thurs.
7 9	Deborah	202	Brooklyn	Poweshiek	1st, 3rd Wed.
29	Ruth	12	Burlington	Des Moines	2nd, 4th Thurs.
29	Paul Caster	348	Burlington	Des Moines	1st, 3rd Wed.
96	Usona	458	Burr Oak	Winneshiek	1st, 3rd Mon.
63	Isadore	239	Bussey	Marion	2nd, 4th Thurs.
91	Rhodema	21	Carlisle	Warren	1st, 3rd Wed.
14	Central	191	Carroll	Carroll	2nd, 4th Mon.
3 9	Oak Leaf	580	Casey	Guthrie	2nd, 4th Tues.
67	Maple View	53	Castana	Monona	1st, 3rd Fri.
7	Happy Thought	256	Cedar Falls	Black Hawk	1st, 3rd Wed.
57	Praha	5	Cedar Rapids	Linn	2nd, 4th Fri.
57	Home	79	Cedar Rapids	Linn	1st, 3rd Wed.
57	Star of Maine	221	Cedar Rapids	Linn	2nd, 4th Thurs.
57	Cedar	494	Cedar Rapids	Linn	1st, 3rd Tues.
4	Anna	95	Centerville	Appanoose	1st, 3rd Fri.
59	Chariton	33	Chariton	Lucas	2nd, 4th Mon.
34	Cedar Valley	226	Charles City	Floyd	2nd, 4th Tues.
18	Diadem	372	Cherokee	Cherokee	2nd, 4th Thurs.
37	Bethuel	83	Churdan	Greene	1st, 3rd Wed.
12	Clarksville	533	Clarksville	Butler	2nd, 4th Mon.
73	Clarinda	317	Clarinda	Page	1st, 3rd Thurs.
99	Marietta	501	Clarion	Wright	2nd, 4th Wed.
17	Tina	105	Clear Lake	Cerro Gordo	2nd, 4th Tues.
23	Clinton	13	Clinton	Clinton	1st, 3rd Fri.
86	Clutier	22	Clutier	Tama	1st, 3rd Wed.
28	Colesburg	428	Colesburg	Delaware	2nd, 4th Wed.
85	Colo	270	Colo	Story	2nd, 4th Fri.
58	Silver Leaf	394	Columbus Jct.		2nd, 4th Thurs.
14	Golden Link	10	Coon Rapids	Carroll	2nd, 4th Mon.
93	Bethany	566	Corvdon	Wayne	1st, 3rd Thurs.
78	Council Bluffs	3	Council Bluffs	•	
78	Unity	388	Council Bluffs		
45	Cresco	284	Cresco	Howard	1st, 3rd Thurs.
88	Royal	47	Creston	Union	2nd, 4th Fri.
82	Scott-Zedoka	2	Davenport	Scott	1st, 3rd Wed.
27	Friendship	235	Decatur	Decatur	2nd, 4th Wed.
96	Oneota	175	Decorah	Winneshiek	1st, 3rd Wed.
28	Delhi	595	Delhi	Delaware	1st, 3rd Thurs.
24	Denison	420	Denison	Crawford	1st, 3rd Wed.
		128	Des Moines	Polk	1st, 3rd Wed.
77	Acme	181	Des Moines	Polk	2nd, 4th Tues.
77	Columbian	215	Des Moines	Polk	1st, 3rd, 5th Fri.
77	Mercy Coldon Stan	352	Des Moines	Polk	1st, 3rd Wed.
77	Golden Star	188	Des Moines	Polk	2nd, 4th Tues.
77	Sweet Brier	572	Des Moines	Polk	1st, 3rd Thurs.
77	Alpha	82	De Witt	Clinton	2nd, 4th Fri.
23	Silver Lining	197	Dexter	Dallas	2nd, 4th Mon.
25	Eva Ann		201100	Danas	Ziid, 4tii Milli.

38	Grant	305	Dike	Grundy	1st, 3rd Thurs.
99	Primrose	179	Dows	Wright	1st, 3rd Wed.
31	Dubuque	173	Dubuque	Dubuque	1st Thurs.
12	Inspiration	324	Dumont	Butler	1st, 3rd Mon.
43	Golden Crown	8	Dunlap	Harrison	1st, 3rd Mon.
99	Junietta	185	Eagle Grove	Wright	1st, 3rd Fri.
61	Marguerite	233	Earlham	Madison	2nd Tues.
86	Morning Star	236	Elberon	Tama	1st, 3rd Tues.
90	Rachel	77	Eldon	Wapello	2nd, 4th Thurs.
42	Eldora	144	Eldora	Hardin	2nd, 4th Tues.
80	Ellston	540	Ellston	Ringgold	1st, 3rd Tues.
32	Harmony	55	Estherville	Emmet	1st, 3rd Tues.
57	Ely	56	Ely	Linn	1st, 3rd Thurs.
51	Fairfield	96	Fairfield	Jefferson	2nd, 4th Mon.
51	Hawkeye	·386	Fairfield	Jefferson	1st, 3rd Wed.
37	Farlin	411	Farlin	Greene	2nd, 4th Tues.
89	Farmington	23	Farmington	Van Buren	2nd, 4th Tues.
13	Farnhamville	109	Farnhamville	Calhoun	1st, 3rd Mon.
76	Silver Link	536	Fonda	Pocahontas	2nd, 4th Mon.
1	Cora	143	Fontanelle	Adair	1st, 3rd Fri.
95	Northern Light	344	Forest City	Winnebago	1st, 3rd Mon.
94	Bon Ami	280	Fort Dodge	Webster	1st, 3rd Tues.
56	Empress	364	Fort Madison	Lee	2nd, 4th Fri.
49	Fulton	100	Fulton	Jackson	2nd, 4th Thurs.
47	Maple River	565	Galva	Ida	1st, 3rd Tues.
6	Garrison	75	Garrison	Benton	2nd, 4th Thurs.
41	Loyalty	217	Garner	Hancock	1st, 3rd Thurs.
64	Wistaria	231	Gilman	Marshall	2nd, 4th Thurs.
65	Woodland	552	Glenwood	Mills	1st, 3rd Mon.
94	Webster	85	Gowrie	Webster	2nd, 4th Thurs.
74	Graettinger	417	Graettinger	Palo Alto	1st, 3rd Thurs.
37	Grand Junction	448	Grand Jct.	Greene	1st, 3rd Wed.
23	Grand Mound	513	Grand Mound	Clinton	1st, 3rd Wed.
28	Maple	519	Greeley	Delaware	2nd, 4th Mon.
1	Martha	37	Greenfield	Adair	1st, 3rd Fri.
79	Grinnell	119	Grinnell	Poweshiek	1st, 3rd Tues.
15	Griswold	480	Griswold	Cass	1st, 3rd Tues.
38	Sunset	353	Grundy Center	•	1st, 3rd Tues.
39	Mispah	92	Guthrie Center		1st, 3rd Mon.
22	Josephine	7	Guttenberg	Clayton	1st Tues.
36	Hamburg	88	Hamburg	Fremont	2nd, 4th Thurs.
63	Mistletoe	38	Hamilton	Marion	1st, 3rd Tues.
35	Rosella	177	Hampton	Franklin	1st, 3rd Tues.
83	Zenobia	286	Harlan	Shelby	2nd, 4th Tues.
71	Genevieve	154	Hartley	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	d Fri. afternoon
65	River View	442	Hastings	Mills	1st, 3rd Wed.
76	Busy Bee	598	Havelock	Pocahontas	2nd, 4th Thurs.
7	Dorcas	564	Hudson	Black Hawk	1st, 3rd Tues.
93	Miawa	146	Humeston	Wayne	2nd, 4th Mon.

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46	Humboldt	200	Humboldt	Humboldt	1st, 3rd Fri.
47	Ida Grove	264	Ida Grove	Ida	1st, 3rd Tues.
10	Lillium	25	Independence	Buchanan	1st, 3rd Fri.
91	Indianola	111	Indianola	Warren	2nd, 4th Fri.
52	Carnation	376	Iowa City	Johnson	2nd, 4th Fri.
52	Iowa City	416	Iowa City	Johnson	2nd, 4th Thurs.
42	Averine	196	Iowa Falls	Hardin	1st, 3rd Sat.
9	Shamrock	296	Janesville	Bremer	2nd, 4th Wed.
37	Beulah	24	Jefferson	Greene	2nd, 4th Thurs.
40	Oriole	421	Jewell	Hamilton	1st, 3rd Thurs.
92	Kalona	84	Kalona	Washington	1st, 3rd Fri.
41	Golden Glow	218	Kanawha	Hancock	1st, 3rd Mon.
80	Valentine	528	Kellerton	Ringgold	2nd, 4th Tues.
54	Emerald	152	Keota	Keokuk	1st, 3rd Wed.
5 6	Colfax	4	Keokuk	Lee	2nd, 4th Tues.
	Marion	70	Knoxville	Marion	2nd, 4th Wed.
63		277	Lacona	Warren	1st, 3rd Mon.
91	Rainbow	30	Lake City	Calhoun	2nd, 4th Fri.
13	Star	375	Lake Mills	Winnebago	2nd, 4th Wed.
95	True Friends	431	Lake Park		2nd, 4th Mon.
30	Silver Star			Dickinson	
81	Pond Lily	10	Lake View	Sac	1st, 3rd Mon.
7	Thistle	261	La Porte City	Black Hawk	2nd, 4th Man
18	Larrabee	590	Larrabee	Cherokee	2nd, 4th Mon.
82	Le Claire	124	LeClaire	Scott	1st, 3rd Fri.
94	Vestal	103	Lehigh	Webster	1st, 3rd Thurs.
87	Timely	43	Lenox	Taylor	2nd, 4th Fri.
27	Equal Rights	419	Leon	Decatur	1st, 3rd Mon.
25	Eden	126	Linden	Dallas	2nd, 4th Mon.
93	Fidelity	272		Wayne	2nd, 4th Thurs.
64	Grumme	460	Liscomb	Marshall	1st, 3rd Fri.
43	Mary	141	Logan	Harrison	2nd, 4th Wed.
13	Lincoln	278	Lohrville	Calhoun	1st, 3rd Tues.
52	Hukill	594	Lone Tree	Johnson	2nd, 4th Mon.
68	Winona	545	Lovilia	Monroe	2nd, 4th Mon.
23	Low Moor	102	Low Moor	Clinton	2nd, 4th Tues.
61	Hawthorne	350	Macksburg	Madison	1st, 3rd Tues.
8	Madrid	487	Madrid	Boone	1st, 3rd Thurs.
28	Crescent	142	Manchester	Delaware	1st, 3rd Tues.
79	Poweshiek	67	Malcom	Poweshiek	2nd, 4th Thurs.
98	Royal Blue	240	Manly	Worth	1st, 3rd Tues.
13	Manson	532	Manson	Calhoun	1st, 3rd Fri.
67	Maple Valley	212	Mapleton	Monona	2nd, 4th Fri.
49	Pope	136	Maquoketa	Jackson	2nd, 4th Tues.
11	Marathon	437	Marathon	Buena Vista	2nd, 4th Tues.
48	Marengo	320	Marengo	Iowa	2nd, 4th Wed.
57	Grove City	35	Marion	Linn	2nd, 4th Mon.
64	Marshall	40	Marshalltown	Marshall	1st, 3rd Thurs.
64	Concordia	295	Marshalltown		1st, 3rd Wed.
17	Queen	106	Mason City	Cerro Gordo	1st, 3rd Wed.
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20	Menlo		26 1		
39	Miles	547	Menlo	Guthrie	2nd, 4th Thurs.
49		204	Miles	Jackson	1st, 3rd Tues.
91	Milo	504	Milo	Warren	2nd, 4th Mon.
78	Iola	600	Minden	Pottawattamie	2nd, 4th Mon.
43	Lillian	20	Mo. Valley	Harrison	1st, 3rd Fri.
77	Garcia	425	Mitchellville	Polk	1st, 3rd Tues.
50	Eureka	52	Monroe	Jasper	2nd, 4th Thurs.
79	Vashti	113	Montezuma	Poweshiek	2nd, 4th Tues.
53	Loyal	306	Monticello	Jones	1st, 3rd Wed.
4	Moravia	404	Moravia	Appanoose	2nd, 4th Mon.
4	Welcome	91	Moulton	Appanoose	1st, 3rd Thurs.
6	Mount Auburn	496	Mount Auburn	Benton	1st, 3rd Thurs.
80	Magdalene	520	Mount Ayr	Ringgold	1st, 3rd Wed.
44	Crystal	45	Mt. Pleasant	Henry	2nd, 4th Thurs.
57	Hill City	359	Mount Vernon	Linn	2nd, 4th Tues.
97	Belvidere	224	Moville	Woodbury	2nd, 4th Mon.
20	Esther	138	Murray	Clarke	1st, 3rd Thurs.
70	Miriam	27	Muscatine	Muscatine	2nd, 4th Wed.
4	Mystic Star	255	Mystic	Appanoose	2nd Mon.
19	Nashua	505	Nashua	Chickasaw	2nd, 4th Tues.
85	Nevada	234	Nevada	Story	1st, 3rd Tues.
11	Buena Vista	258	Newell	Buena Vista	1st, 3rd Tues.
19	Golden Palace	578	New Hampton	Chickasaw	2nd, 4th Thurs.
12	Anchor	46	Naw Hartford	Butler	2nd, 4th Tues.
44	Safety	409	New London	Henry	1st, 3rd Mon.
87	New Market	427	New Market	Taylor	2nd, 4th Mon.
62	Clio	182	New Sharon	Mahaska	2nd, 4th Mon.
50	Margaret	237	Newton	Jasper	1st, 3rd Tues.
34	Nora Springs	483	Nora Springs	Floyd	1st, 3rd Thurs.
48	Iowa	355	North English	Iowa	2nd, 4th Tues.
98	Ina	429	Northwood	Worth	1st, 3rd Wed.
78	Oakland	65	Oakland	Pottawattam	1st, 3rd Tues.
81	Odebolt	336	Odebolt	Sac	2nd, 4th Mon.
33	Jefferson	74	Oelwein	Fayette	2nd, 4th Fri.
8	Victoria	101	Ogden	Boone	2nd, 4th Tues.
67	Elsie	222	Onawa	Monona	2nd, 4th Fri.
20	Sarah	57	Osceola	Clarke	2nd, 4th Thurs.
62	Oskaloosa	16	Oskaloosa	Mahaska	2nd, 4th Wed.
94	Ballantyne	238	Otho	Webster	2nd, 4th Thurs.
97	Oto	266	Oto		t, 3rd Tues.p.m.
90	Myrah	41	Ottumwa	Wapello	2nd, 4th Fri.
90	Enterprise	132	Ottumwa, So.	Wapello	2nd, 4th Mon.
52	Oxford	410	Oxford	Johnson	1st, 3rd Mon.
25	Edna	263	Perry	Dallas	2nd, 4th Thurs.
97	Pierson Valley	374	Pierson	Woodbury	1st, 3rd Tues.
43	Pisgah	451	Pisgah	Harrison	2nd, 4th Mon.
17	San Juan	418	Plymouth	Cerro Gordo	1st, 3rd Wed.
76	Scarlet	42	Pocahontas	Pocahontas	2nd, 4th Wed.
3	Post	48	Postville	Allamakee	2nd, 4th Thurs.
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50	Excelsior	470	Prairie City	Jasper	1st, 3rd Mon.
49	Home Charity	156	Preston	Jackson	2nd, 4th Tues.
71	Locke	430	Primghar	O'Brien	1st, 3rd Tues.
82	Echo	104	Princeton	Scott	2nd, 4th Thurs.
36	Randolph	368	Randolph	Fremont	1st, 3rd Tues.
25	Venus	160	Redfield	Dallas	2nd, 4th Wed.
69	Faith	174	Red Oak	Montgomery	1st, 3rd Mon.
38	Elizabeth	444	Reinbeck	Grundy 1st	Thurs., 3rd Wed.
46	Renwick	473	Renwick	Hum boldt	3rd Tues. after.
64	Rhodes	362	Rhodes	Marshal	1st, 3rd Wed.
36	Cornelia	252	Riverton	Fremont	1st, 3rd Wed
37	Alice Blue	414	Rippey	Greene	1st, 3rd Tues.
60	Zilpha	49	Rock Rapids	Lyon	2nd, 4th Fri.
13	Zerah	210	Rockwell City	Calhoun	2nd, 4th Mon.
67	Ember	486	Rodney	Monona	1st, 3rd Mon.
62	Rose Hill	527	Rose Hill	Mahaska	2nd, 4th Tues.
76	Rolfe	125	Rolfe	Pocahontas	1st, 3rd Thurs.
3	Central Star	403	Rossville	Allamakee	2nd, 4th Tues.
21	Silver Maple	283	Royal	Clay	2nd, 4th Tues.
49	Bee Hive	180	Sabula	Jackson	2nd, 4th Mon.
51	Salina	599	Salina	Jefferson	2nd, 4th Tues.
81	Imogene	259	Sac City	Sac	1st, 3rd Fri.
71	Mary Tifft	335	Sanborn	O'Brien	2nd, 4th Tues.
37	Ariel	60	Scranton	Greene	1st, 3rd Tues.
79	Holly	309	Searsboro	Poweshiek	1st, 3rd Thurs.
89	Junto	250	Selma	Van Buren	2nd, 4th Wed.
93	Lone Tree	379	Seymour	Wayne	1st, 3rd Tues.
88	Shannon City	285	Shannon City	Union	2nd, 4th Thurs.
35	White Lily	137	Sheffield	Franklin	1st, 3rd Mon.
83	Shelby	140	Shelby	Shelby	1st, 3rd Wed.
71	Fidelia	36	Sheldon	O'Brien	1st, 3rd Tues.
12	Zora		Shell Rock	Butler	1st, 3rd Wed.
6	Orion	189		Benton	1st, 3rd Fri.
73		63	Shellsburg	Page	2nd, 4th Fri.
54	Sigourney	166	Shenandoah	Keokuk	2nd, 4th Tues.
36	Sidney	262	Sigourney	Fremont	2nd, 4th Mon
97	Paradise	298	Sidney	Woodbury	1st, 3rd Thurs.
	Pacific	265	Sioux City	Woodbury	1st, 3rd Fri.
97		557	Sioux City	Johnson	1st, 3rd Tues.
52		476	Solon		1st, 3rd Tues.
21		28	Spencer	Clay	1st, 3rd Thurs.
29		17	Sperry	Des Moines	
30	•	447	Spirit Lake	Dickinson	2nd, 4th Wed.
57	• •	99	Springville	Linn	1st, 3rd Wed.
64		61	State Center	Marshall Pugas Vista	1st, 3rd Tues.
11		205	Storm Lake	Buena Vista	2nd, 4th Tues.
22		34	Strawberry Pt.		2nd, 4th Tues.
39		6	Stuart	Guthrie	2nd, 4th Mon
9		98	Sumner	Bremer	2nd, 4th Mon.
86	Diamond Link	176	Tama	Tama	2nd, 4th Mon.

16	Helping Hand	517	Tipton	Cedar	1st, 3rd Fri.
86	Toledo	307	Toledo	Tama	1st, 3rd Tues.
86	Laurel	116	Traer	Tama	2nd, 4th Mon.
26	Troy	510	Troy	Davis	1st, 3rd Wed.
57	Willow	398	Troy Mills	Linn	2nd, 4th Wed.
42	Daffodil	193	Union	Hardin	2nd, 4th Mon.
48	Ruby	161	Victor	Iowa	1st, 3rd Mon.
69	Centennial	556	Villisca	Montgomery	2nd, 4th Mon.
58	Derexa	129	Wapello	Louisa	1st, 3rd Fri.
92	Zimri	58	Washington	Washington	1st, 3rd Fri.
18	Washta	373	Washta	Cherokee	1st, 3rd Tues.
7	Temple	54	Waterloo	Balck Hawk	1st, 3rd Fri.
40	Purity	72	Webster City	Hamilton	2nd, 4th Wed.
92	Wellman	3 91	Wellman	Washington	2nd, 4th Thurs.
55	Maple Grove	117	Wesley	Kossuth	1st, 3rd Fri.
74	West Bend	511	West Bend	Palo Alto	2nd, 4th Thurs.
77	Amaryllis	81	W. Des Moines	Polk	2nd, 4th Thurs.
70	Adah	123	West Liberty	Muscatine	1st, 3rd Tues.
33	West Union	97	West Union	Fayette	2nd, 4th Tues.
56	Good Hope	267	Wever	Lee	2nd, 4th Thurs.
70	Walter	516	Wilton Jct.	Muscatine	2nd, 4th Mon.
48	Williamsburg	3 67	Williamsburg	Iowa	1st, 3rd Fri.
61	Crown	36 0	Winterset	Madison	2nd, 4th Thurs.
43	Eleanor	164	Woodbine	Harrison	1st, 3rd Tues.
53	Madonna	303	Wyoming	Jones	1st, 3rd Thurs.

THETA RHO GIRLS' CLUBS OF IOWA Alphabetical List of Theta Rho Girls' Clubs According to Location, Number of District, With Name, Number, County and Meeting Night

Dis	t. Name	No.	Location	County	Meeting Night
41	Sunsette	26	Britt	Hancock	2nd, 4th Wed.
77	Golden Glow	35	Carlisle	Polk	2nd, 4th Mon.
78	Council Bluffs	34	Council Bluffs	Pottawattamie	1st, 3rd St.
88	Amor Fedis Fidel	36	Creston	Union	1st, 3rd Wed.
77	Golden Rule	6	Des Moines	Polk	1st, 3rd Tues.
94	Blue Crest	13	Fort Dodge	Webster	2nd, 4th Tues.
91	Starlite	32	Indianola	Warren	2nd, 4th Mon
52	Old Gold	1	Iowa City	Johnson	2nd, 4th Mon.
93	Pluma Azul	20	Lineville	Wayne	1st, 3rd Thurs.
69	Little Angel	33	Red Oak	Montgomery	2nd, 4th Thurs.
38	Nishnabotna	35	Shenandoah	Page	2nd, 4th Thurs.
21	Pocahontas	31	Spencer	Clay	2nd, 4th Fr.
65	Hopeful Hearts	39	Glenwood	Mills	2nd, 4th Mon.

ASSEMBY CONSTITUTION

REVISED AND AMENDED REBEKAH ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTION ADOPTED BY THE REBEKAH ASSEMBLY AND APPROVED BY THE GRAND LODGE

ARTICLE I

Section 1. NAME. This organization shall be known as the "Rebekah Assembly, I.O.O.F. of the State of Iowa."

ARTICLE II

Section 1. OBJECTS AND PURPOSES. The objects and purposes of this Assembly shall be to create a deeper interest in the Rebekah Degree of Odd Fellowship; to propose to the Grand Lodge suitable legilsation for this degree; to encourage the institution of Rebekah lodges and to strengthen those already chartered; to aid in the maintenance of Odd Fellows Homes in the State of Iowa, and to assist in the exemplification of Friendship, Love and Truth and in the diffusion of the principles of Benevolence and Charity.

ARTICLE III

Section 1. MEMBERSHIP. The membership of this Assembly shall be limited to Past Noble Grands of Rebekah lodges, Past Grands of subordinate lodges who are members in good standing of Rebekah lodges, and those who have heretofore received the Assembly Degree.

Sec. 2. REPRESENTATION (a) Each county in the jurisdiction shall constitute a separate district, unless district contains more than twelve Rebekah lodges, when by petition of not less than five Rebekah lodges said district may be sub-divided. The counties to be arranged alphabetically and numbered consecutively. Sub-divided district to be known as District A and District B, of former district. The basis of representation in each district shall be one delegate for every 300 members to be elected for a term of two years; odd numbered districts to elect in odd numbered years, and even numbered districts to elect in in even numbered years. Each district together with each sub-division shall be entitled to at least one delegate. Past Noble Grands shall be nominated only in the lodges to which they belong. Any Past Noble Grand shall be eligible as a delegate, provided that not more than one delegate shall be elected from any lodge.

(b) The sister elected as Delegate to the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa must be a member of the lodge in the District or Districts she represents and be a regular attendant of the lodge in that district or districts.

(c) After election, removal of membership from the district or

districts from which she was elected, creates a vacancy.

- Section 3. NOMINATING AND ELECTION OF DELEGATES. Nomination shall be made at the first regular meeting night in the month of May. In case two or more names are presented as nominees, a ballot shall immediately be taken and the name receiving the majority of all votes cast shall be the nominee of said lodge. Immediately upon such nomination being made, the Recording Secretary shall notify, by mail, all the lodges in the District of the nomination. Said notice shall be under seal of the lodge and enclosed in a sealed envelope. The election shall be held the first regular meeting night in June and no Past Noble Grand shall be voted for unless she has been duly nominated on the first regular meeting in May and the laws relative thereto have been complied with. At the time of the election, immediately after the opening of the lodge, the Noble Grand shall declare the ballot open for receiving votes for Delegates and shall appoint two tellers to receive the votes; and immediately before closing the lodge, the Noble Grand shall declare the ballot closed. All members of the lodge who are in good standing shall be entitled to vote, a record of the names of the members voting being kept by the Secretary and recorded in the minutes.
- (a) Members of lodges working under the dispensation may not nominate a delegate but may vote for nominees in the district.
- (b) It shall be the duty of the Noble Grand and Recording Secretary with the assistance of the tellers of each lodge within such district, immediately upon the close of the ballot for delegate, to count the same in open lodge, make an abstract of the vote so cast, sign the same, cause the result to be entered upon the minutes, and immediately certify to the Vice President the number of votes cast, and for whom. The certificate to be in the following form:

REPORT OF ELECTION OF DELEGATES

Hall of —————— Rebekah Lodge, No. ———
Election held the first regular meeting night, June ———, 19—— To
Vice President, Rebekah Assembly, I.O.O.F. of the
State of Iowa, —————— Iowa.
We hereby certify that an election was held on the first regular
meeting night in June, 19—, in accordance with provisions of Section
3, Article III, of the Constitution of the Rebekah Assembly, I.O.O.F. of
Iowa, and the result was as follows:
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District No. —

Name

P.O. Address

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This certificate sh	all be enclosed in an envel		
Rebel	cah Lodge, No. ———, for d	elegate of Dis	strict No.
•	nd addressed to —————	 Vice Preside 	ent of the
Rebekah Assembly,			
(c) The Vice President shall, upon the receipt of each return, write on the envelope the date it was received and also the day and date of the first regular meeting in June of the lodge from which the return was received. She shall, on the fourth Wednesday in June, call to her assistance two disinterested Past Noble Grands, residents of the city or town in which the Vice President resides, and proceed to open, count by districts and record the votes cast for delegates. Provided that if the returns from any lodge shall not be mailed within ten days after the first regular meeting in June of the lodge from which the returns were received it shall not be counted. Nor shall any returns received after the Tuesday preceding the fourth Wednesday in June be counted. The returns must be on the forms provided by the Assembly Secretary. Should the return be wanting any of the requisites listed on the form it shall be deemed not valid and shall not be counted. The Vice President shall not transmit any return to the lodge from which it was sent for correction. The result of the first count shall be considered final. Said Board shall enter upon a prepared tally sheet the votes for each candidate and the candidates receiving the highest number of votes in the district shall be declared elected and the Vice President shall forward to each delegate elect a notice of her election in the following form:—			
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I hereby certify the Lodge, No. ———, I from District No		ed to act as Assembly	delegate, of Iowa,
number of votes, the and the notice shal President shall f Committee on Cred	or more candidates shall he Vice President and her asself be issued to the one chournish the President, Section and the Chairman second complete list of the decrease.	sistants shall osen by lot. cretary, Chai of the Comm	an equal cast lots, The Vice rman of nittee on

name, district and number of lodge to which they belong, with post office address.

- (e) If any sister desires to contest the election of a delegate to the Assembly she shall notify the Vice President stating the grounds for such contest, at least thirty days prior to the convening of the Assembly, and it shall be the duty of the Vice President to notify the sister whose seat is so contested stating the grounds of said contest at least fifteen days prior to the convening of the Rebekah Assembly.
- (f) ELECTION REPORT TO BE FINAL. In the event any annual session of the Assembly be cancelled by the President, as by law provided, then in that event, the report of the Vice President relating to the election of Delegates to the Assembly as contemplated by Paragraph (d) of Section 3 of Article 111 of the Constitution, shall be considered final.
- Sec. 4 RESIGNATIONS. All resignations must be made to the President of the Assembly, and in case of vacancy occurring by death, removal from the district, or from any other cause, that officer shall be notified.
- (a) In case of a resignation of a Delegate to the Rebekah Assembly, removal of membership from the district or districts she represents or from any other cause, all credentials shall be returned to the President of the Rebekah Assembly.

Section 5. VACANCIES, HOW FILLED.

- (a) All vacancies occurring by resignation, death, removal of membership from the district or districts she represents or by any other cause, shall be filled by the President, who shall appoint a Past Noble Grand from the District or Districts to fill the vacancy and the Past Noble Grand so appointed shall meet all requirements for an elected delegate.
- (b) In case the lodge has no one who wishes to accept the appointment, the President shall appoint a qualified Past Noble Grand from another lodge in the district to fill the vacancy.
- (c) In the event that any district fails to elect a delegate or delegates to the Rebekah Assembly at the time of the regular election thereof, such district shall be without representation in the Assembly until the time of the next regular election for delegates when the number of delegates to which the district is entitled may be elected for one year.
- (d) Returns from lodges holding special elections under the above section shall be mailed to the Vice President within ten days after the first regular meeting in June of said lodge.
- Sec. 6 BUSINESS, BY WHOM TRANSACTED. The business of this Assembly shall be transacted by the elective officers, past elective officers in good standing and delegates. None but delegates shall be permitted to vote upon any business of the session. The elective officers and past elective officers shall be permitted to make motions and address the Assembly upon all questions before it. Members of special or standing committees shall be permitted to speak upon all questions relating to the business of such committee.

ARTICLE IV

Sec. 1. TIME OF MEETING. This Assembly shall meet annually at

the time and place of the annual session of the Grand Lodge of Iowa. The opening session of this Assembly shall coincide in date and hour with the opening session of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, and continue from day to day until all the business is transacted provided, however, that if in the judgement of the President, Vice-President, Warden, Secretary and Treasurer, or a majority of them, conditions should arise which in their judgment, present an emergency sufficient to warrant the cancellation of any annual session, the President shall then, by proclamation cancel such session.

Sec. 2 SPECIAL SESSIONS. In case of emergency, a special session may be convened at the call of the President for the transaction of business stated in the call, but no business shall be considered other than that specified in the call. Not less than thirty days' notice of such

special session shall be given by the Assembly Secretary.

(a) On the day preceding the opening session of this Assembly a special session of this Assembly shall be held for the purpose of conferring the Assembly Degree following which a school of instruction for all Delegates to this Assembly shall be conducted by the President of the Rebekah Assembly assisted by the Assembly Secretary and any officer or Past President whose service the President may desire.

Sec. 3 QUORUM. (a) One-third of the delegates shall constitute a

quorum for the transaction of business.

(b) At a special session held for the purpose of conferring the Assembly degree, ten members of the Assembly, which must include the President, Vice President, Warden and Secretary, shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE V

Section 1. ELECTIVE OFFICERS. The elective officers of this Assembly shall consist of President, Vice President, Warden, Secretary and Treasurer.

Section 2. Nominations and qualification for Assembly Officers.

- (a) Nominations. Nominations for Assembly Officers shall be made at the session preceding the election immediately upon the opening of the Rebekah Assembly on the second day of the session, provided, however, that if any annual session of the Assembly be cancelled by the President, as by law provided, then nominations for Assembly Officers may be made by any delegate of the Assembly by filing such nomination in writing with the Secretary of the Assembly on or prior to the first Thursday in December following such cancelled session. Any person nominating a candidate for office shall state briefly the qualifications of said nominee and vouch for the acceptance of said nomination.
 - (b) Qualifications.
- (1) To be nominated for office in this Assembly, a sister must be a member in good standing of a Rebekah Lodge in good standing in this jurisdiction, and a resident thereof; she must be a member of this Rebekah Assembly.
- (2) To be nominated for President a sister shall have served as Vice President and Warden of this Assembly.
- (3) To be nominated for Vice President a sister shall have served as Warden of this Assembly.

- (c) Emergency Qualification. In the event there shall be no nominee for President or Vice President meeting the qualification thereof, any sister meeting all other qualifications of a nominee for an Assembly Officer may be nominated for President or Vice President.
- (d) In the event a candidate for office in the Rebekah Assembly wishes to withdraw as a nominee, the Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly shall be notified prior to March 1st.
- Sec. 3. ELECTION OF OFFICERS. The election of Assembly officers shall be in the manner and form as follows:
- (a) The Secretary of the Assembly shall send each Rebekah lodge in the jurisdiction, not later than May 25th of each year, a sufficient number of printed tickets, with the names and residences of the nominees for Assembly officers, together with duplicate blank returns for said election, enclosing printed envelopes to contain returns, directed to the President of the Assembly, marked: "Election Returns for the Assembly Officers."
- (b) On the first regular meeting night in June of each year the Past Noble Grands in good standing, in each Rebekah Lodge in the jurisdiction shall meet in their Lodge room and hold an election by Ballot for the elective officers of the Rebekah Assembly. Immediately after the opening of the Lodge, the Noble Grand shall declare the ballot open for the receiving of votes for Assembly officers and shall appoint two tellers to receive the votes and immediately before closing the Lodge, the Noble Grand shall declare the ballot closed. The Noble Grand and Secretary shall proceed to convass the votes cast, throwing out all votes for anyone not regularly nominated and cause the results of the vote and the names of the Past Noble Grands voting to be entered on the minutes. The Secretary shall immediately send to the President by mail, on the form provided by the Assembly Secretary, a certified copy of the vote. The certified copy shall be enclosed in an envelope properly sealed and endorsed thereon: "Election Returns from ---- Rebekah Lodge. No. ---, Located at Iowa."
- (c) The President of the Assembly shall, upon the receipt of each return, write upon the envelope the date it was received and also the day and date of the first regular meeting in June of the lodge from which the returns were received. She shall, on the fourth Tuesday in June, call to her assistance two disinterested Past Noble Grands, residents of the city or town in which the President resides, and proceed to open, count and record the votes cast for Assembly Officers; said record to show Names and residences of candidates voted for and the number of votes cast for each by the respective lodges as shown by the returns. Provided that if the returns from any lodge shall not be mailed within ten days after the first regular meeting in June of the lodge from which the return is received, they shall not be counted or be of any validity. Nor shall any returns received after the Monday preceding the fourth Tuesday in June be counted.

The returns must be on the forms provided by the Secretary of the Assembly, must bear the date of the first regular meeting in June, the name and number of the lodge, the signatures of the Noble Grand and Secretary and the seal of the lodge.

If the form shall be wanting any of the above listed requisites the return shall be deemed not valid and shall not be counted. The President shall not transmit any returns to the lodge from which they came for correction. The results of the first count shall be considered final.

The President shall file a copy of the record, duly certified by each member of the Board of Canvassers with the Rebekah Assembly, shall notify the candidates receiving the highest number of votes of their election and send to each candidate the record of the canvass.

(d) In the event any annual session of the Assembly be cancelled by the President, as by law provided, then the report and findings of the Committee on Election Returns, relating to the election of Assembly Officers, as contemplated by paragraph (e) of Section 3 of ARTICLE V, shall be made in writing and filed with the Secretary of the Assembly, the same to be filed with such officer on or prior to the first Friday after the third Wednesday in October and prior to the time fixed for the installation of Assembly Officers and the report so made shall then be considered as final.

Sec. 4 BONDS. The Assembly shall furnish bonds for the President, Secretary and Treasurer in a reliable surety company in such sums as shall from time to time be fixed by a majority vote of the Assembly. In case of inability to procure such bonds previous to installation, temporary bonds in such sums as may be required by the Assembly shall be executed and within thirty days after installation, permanent bonds approved by the President of the Assembly shall be executed.

Sec. 5. APPOINTIVE OFFICERS. The appointive officers of this Assembly shall consist of a Conductor, Marshal, Chaplain, Musician, Inside Guardian and Outside Guardian and shall be appointed by the President immediately after her installation. At the same time she shall appoint assistants known as Messenger and two Stenographers. The duties of these various officers and assistants shall be those which usually pertain to such positions. Any Sister Past Noble Grand shall be eligible to act as an appointive officer, assistant or chairman of standing committee.

Section 6. ELECTIONEERING. Any member who shall solicit another by letter, circular, or printed material to vote for her, or for or against another member for any office in the Order, or shall, by letter, circular, or printed material electioneer to secure any office or appointment for herself or another member shall be guilty of an

offense against the laws of the Order.

Sec. 7 INSTALLATION. The officers shall be installed near the close of the Assembly session by the retiring President, assisted by the Past Presidents' Staff, provided, however, if any annual session of the Assembly be cancelled by the President as by law provided, the President or her special deputy shall, in that event, at the office of the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge on the first Friday after the third Wednesday in October at the hour of 2:00 o'clock p.m. on said date, install the Assembly officers who have been duly elected or appointed. All officers shall be installed to serve until the next annual session or installation of their successors. If the person having the highest number of votes for any office be not present to be installed at the proper time, the Assembly may proceed to elect a member to fill the

office. If an officer - elect shall be prevented by sickness or other sufficient reason from being present at the time of installation she may be later installed privately by the President or her special deputy, as the Assembly may direct.

- Sec. 8. REMOVALS. Any elective officer of the Assembly may be removed from her office, according to the laws of the Order, for conduct unworthy of her standing in the Order or for inattention to the duties of her office.
- (a) The President may remove any appointive officer, committeeman or District Deputy President when in her judgment the good of the Order may require it.
- Sec. 9. VACANCIES. The President is authorized to fill by appointment all vacancies on committees or in office that may occur during the year by death, resignation, removal from the state, or otherwise.

If the annual session of the Assembly be cancelled as by law provided and any duly elected officer be not present to be installed at the time fixed for such installation, unless such absence shall be due to sickness or other sufficient reason, then in that event the newly installed president or in her absence or inability to so act the retiring president or her special deputy and the newly elected officers present may by a majority vote declare such elective office vacant and said installing officer and the newly elected officers present, by a majority vote, may proceed to fill such vacancy, or said installing officer and the elective officers present by a majority vote if they so elect, may defer the installation of such absent elective officers and thereafter the president or her special deputy may privately install such elective officer. If an appointed officer be not present to be installed at the time fixed for such installation, unless such absence shall be due to sickness or other sufficient reason, then in that event the newly installed President, or in her absence or inability to so act, the retiring President or her special deputy may declare such appointive office vacant and proceed to fill such vacancy by appointment or if she so elects she may defer the installation of such absent appointive office and thereafter the president or her special deputy may privately install such officer.

In case of the appointment of a secretary or treasurer, the said officers shall give bonds as in an ordinary case of election. Officers appointed to fill vacancies occurring during the year shall be installed by the President or her special deputy and they shall hold their respective offices from the time of their installation until the expiration of the term for which such officers were elected or appointed, or until the election or installation of their successors.

Section 10. REPRESENTATIVES TO THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF REBEKAH ASSEMBLIES.

(a) This Assembly shall be represented at the I.A.R.A. by a duly elected qualified Representative, whose duty it shall be to attend the sessions of the I.A.R.A. to fulfill such duties as may be required of her and to submit a complete report at the annual session of this Assembly of all legislation affecting the Rebekah Lodges and Rebekah Assemblies enacted by the Sovereign Grand Lodge; and the business transactions of the I.A.R.A.

(b) In the event the elected Representative is unable to attend the sessions of the I.A.R.A., the President shall appoint a qualified Sister to serve as such Representative.

ARTICLE VI

- Sec. 1. DUTIES OF PRESIDENT. The duties of the President shall be:
- (a) To preside at all meetings of the Rebekah Assembly, to have general supervision of the business and to perform such other duties as are usually required of a presiding officer.

(b) To call special sessions of the Rebekah Assembly.

- (c) To appoint all standing Committees and such other committees as this Assembly deems necessary.
- (d) To appoint a District Deputy President for each county and where the counties are larger numerically, as many as in her judgment are necessary to cover the work.

(e) To formulate and promulgate the term password.

- (f) To appoint a qualified member of the Rebekah Assembly as Chairman of the Board of Instruction in the Unwritten Work and such other members as are provided in Article VIII, Section 1 of the Rebekah Assembly Constitution.
- (g) To fill, by appointment, all vacancies occurring during the year and to inform the Secretary of said appointment.
- (h) To sign and send out credential cards to delegates appointed by her to fill vacancies as provided in Section 5 of Article III.
- (i) To approve all bills and sign personally all orders drawn upon the Treasurer and all other documents requiring her signature.
- (j) To issue a circular of inquiry to all Deputies in the jurisdiction for the purpose of ascertaining the condition of the lodges, in order that the officers of the Assembly may learn where their assistance is most needed.
- (k) To send the greetings of the Assembly to the Presidents of all other Assemblies in time for their respective annual sessions.
- (1) To forward to the Sovereign Grand Master quarterly reports of the state of the Order.
- (m) To canvas the vote for Assembly Officers in accordance with Article V, Section 3, Paragraph (c), and to notify all candidates and Past Presidents of the result of said canvas of election.
- (n) To furnish a report of the business of her office to be in the hands of the Secretary not later than October 1st.
- (o) To make a report to the Rebekah Assembly of the election of state officers.
- (p) To have power to grant dispensations to Rebekah Lodges for all lawful purposes except to institute new lodges and for consolidation; said Dispensation to include (1) moving of charter to another hall or location, (2) installation of an unqualified officer, (3) holding installation out of statutory time except in case of emergency.
- (q) To attend, if possible, at least one of the regular meetings of the Advisory Board at Mason City.
- (r) To be one of the memorial committee to arrange the program for the public memorial services held during the annual session.

- (s) To furnish bond as required in Section 4 of Article V of the Rebekah Assembly Constitution.
- (t) To forward monthly, to the Secretary, all moneys collected or received during her term of office.
- (u) To have present, under her custody, at Special Session, District Conventions and Schools of Instruction the Album of the Secret Work of the Rebekah Degree.
- (v) To appoint a member of the Joint Youth Committee who shall be a Past Noble Grand in good standing of a Rebekah lodge in good standing. The member so appointed shall serve for a term of three years.
- (w) To serve as a member ex-officio of the Joint Youth Committee during her term of office.
- (x) To select the semi-annual password for the Theta Rho Girls clubs and send the same to the Chairman of the Joint Youth Committee.
- (y) If any annual session of the Assembly be cancelled as by law provided, then the President or her special deputy, in that event, install the Assembly Officers at the office of the Grand Secretary, as by law provided.
- (z-1) If any annual session of the Assembly be cancelled as by law provided then in that event the President of the Assembly shall upon her installation appoint the Representative to the Association of the Rebekah Assemblies.
- (z-2) To conduct a School of Instruction for all Delegates to the Assembly on the day preceding the opening session of the Rebekah Assembly.
- (z-3) To appoint a special Printing Committee of three Past Presidents to meet with the Assembly Secretary prior to the opening session of the Rebekah Assembly for the purpose of opening and examining sealed bids for printing the journals, and for letting contract for printing same.
- Sec. 2 DUTIES OF VICE PRESIDENT. The duties of the Vice President shall be:
- (a) To assist the President during the session of the Assembly, and in case of the absence of that officer, or a vacancy in that office by death, resignation, removal from state, or any other cause, to perform the duties of the President.
- (b) To canvas the vote for delegates to the Assembly in accordance with Article III, Section 3, paragraph (b)
- (c) To send to each retiring and hold-over delegate not later than May 15th, a letter containing instruction as to the duties of a delegate in the selection of a District Deputy President, and such other information as she may deem necessary.
- (d) To send to each newly elected and hold-over delegate, not later than July 25th a letter containing information and instruction concerning the duties and responsibilities of a delegate to the Rebekah Assembly.
 - (e) To serve as chairman of the Relief Committee.
- (f) To prepare a report of the work of her office, to be in the hands of the secretary not later than October 1st.
 - Sec. 3: DUTIES OF WARDEN. The duties of the Warden shall be:
 - (a) To assist the President in preserving order, and in the absence of

the President and Vice President to occupy the chair and preside as President.

- (b) To confer the Rebekah Assembly Degree during the Rebekah Assembly and at Special Sessions.
- (c) To furnish to the Assembly Secretary at the close of each morning and afternoon session a list of those receiving the Rebekah Assembly degree, together with name, number and location of Rebekah lodges to which they belong, also their present address.
- (d) At the close of the Rebekah Assembly she shall make a complete report of the number of delegates, Past Noble Grands and Past Grands on whom the Assembly degree has been conferred.
- (e) To prepare a report of the work of her office, to be in the hands of the secretary by October 1st.
- (f) To prepare from research of the Journals of Proceedings of other Jurisdictions, a concise report of items that will be of great interest to our membership, this report shall be given in the Assembly session.

Sec. 4 DUTIES OF SECRETARY. The duties of the Secretary shall be:

- (a) To record the proceedings of the Assembly, file all papers and documents relating to the business thereof, and carefully preserve all documents, books and papers belonging to it.
- (b) To have the custody of the Assembly seal and perform such other duties as may be prescribed in the constitution or the laws of the Order.
- (c) To receive all moneys due the Assembly, keep a correct account thereof, and forward to the Treasurer monthly all funds in her hands, taking Treasurer's receipt for same.
- (d) To prepare, attest, and present to the President for her personal signature, all orders drawn on the Treasurer for moneys appropriated by this Assembly.
- (e) To keep the accounts between the Assembly and the Rebekah Lodges, and report all delinquencies.
- (f) To prepare and have in the hands of the Secretary thirty (30) days prior to the Assembly session, a report of the transactions of her office for the preceding year ending July 31st; the moneys received and from what source, and such suggestions as she may deem proper.
- (g) To furnish bond as required in Section 4, Article V of the Rebekah Assembly Constitution.
- (h) To contract for and supervise printing that may be ordered by the Assembly with the exception of Journals of Proceedings.
- (i) To secure, prior to the Assembly session, three or more sealed bids for the printing of the journals of proceedings, said bids to state price per page, cover, size of print, date of delivery.
- (j) To meet with the Special Printing Committee prior to the Assembly session, for the purpose of opening and examing bids for printing journals of Proceedings, and letting contract for same.
- (k) To prepare copy for, and supervise printing of Journals of Proceedings of this Rebekah Assembly, to include Supplemental Reports, Assembly Proceedings, and Appendix; same to be submitted to printer not later than 30 days after the close of the annual session.
 - (1) To index the yearly proceedings of this Assembly.
 - (m) To forward to the Grand Lodge of Iowa for consideration and

approval, under the seal and signed by the President and Secretary, all legislation as soon as adopted by the Assembly.

(n) To keep an indexed ledger in which shall be recorded the names of all Past Noble Grands and Past Grands who have received the

Rebekah Assembly degree.

(0) To send not later than April 20th of each year, a notice to each Rebekah lodge in the district wherein a delegate is to be elected, and shall enclose therewith a blank for return of such election, together with a printed envelope directed to the Vice President, which circular letter shall be in the following form:

(Date)	
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Brothers and Sisters:

You are hereby notified that on the first regular meeting night of your lodge in May you may nominate a candidate for delegate to the Rebekah Assembly.

If you make a nomination your Secretary is required to notify each Rebekah lodge in your district of such nomination by letter and on the first regular meeting night in June you are to vote for such delegate. Herewith you will find blank for return and printed envelope directed to the Vice President, to whom the returns must be made immediately. See Sections 2 and 3 of Article III of the Rebekah Assembly Constitution.

Secretary.

With the above notice the Secretary shall transmit a statement of the number of delegates to which the district, wherein each lodge is located, is entitled to elect, as shown by the last preceding January report. Said statement shall be in the following form:

"The membership of your District, No. ———, ————— county, is —————, entitling your district to ————— delegate ————."

- (p) To send each lodge in the state, not later than May 25 of each year, a sufficient number of printed tickets, with the names and residences of the nominees for Assembly officers, together with duplicate blank returns, directed to the President of the Assembly, marked: "Election Returns for Assembly Officers."
- (q) To furnish Annual and Semi Annual reports, and Past Noble Grand certificates to the Recording Secretary of each Rebekah Lodge in the State.
- (r) To forward to each Rebekah lodge in the state printed copies of all amendments to the constitution.
- (s) To mail mimeographed copies of Legislation submitted to her for consideration at the Assembly to all Delegates, Officers, Committee Chairmen and Past Presidents, not later than September 30th prior to the opening of the next regular session.
- (t) To transmit an annual report of the state of the Order to the Rebekah Assembly and to The Sovereign Grand Lodge, in such form as that had a man prescribe

that body may prescribe.

(u) To reprint in the Rebekah Assembly Journal only such excerpts from the Home report as made by the Trustees as in her judgment will be of particular interest to the Rebekah lodges of the jurisdiction or that may be especially designated by the Assembly.

(v) To serve as a member ex-officio of the Joint Youth Committee

during her term of office.

(w) To forward to the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge, not later than February 26th, and July 28th, the Per Capita Tax collected for the Grand Lodge Home Maintenance Fund.

(x) To assist the President of the Rebekah Assembly in conducting the School of Instruction for all Delgates on the day preceding the

opening session of this Assembly.

Sec. 5. DUTIES OF TREASURER. The duties of the Treasurer shall be:

(a) To have charge of all funds and other property belonging to, or held in trust by the Assembly, which may be placed in her hands.

- (b) To keep correctly the accounts of all moneys she may receive from the Secretary; to deposit all moneys of the Assembly in her name as Treasurer of the Rebekah Assembly of I.O.O.F. of Iowa, and pay by check all orders drawn upon the funds in her hands when bearing the personal signature of the President and properly attested by the Secretary.
- (c) To furnish bond as required in Section 4 of Article V of the Rebekah Assembly Constitution.
- (d) To prepare and have in the hands of the secretary, thirty days (30) prior to the Assembly session, a report showing from what source all moneys were received, and a summary of disbursements for the preceding year ending July 31st.

(e) To attend, when requested, any committee of the Assembly and

furnish such books and papers as may be required.

(f) To make full statement to the finance committee or auditing committee, and deliver to her successor in office all moneys, books, bonds, vouchers, documents, evidence of title and property belonging to or held in trust by this Assembly, which may be in her possession.

Sec. 6. DUTIES OF DELEGATE. The duties of a delegate shall be:

- (a) After ascertaining which lodge or lodges of the District is entitled to select the District Deputy President, the hold-over and retiring delegates shall notify said lodge or lodges of same by letter or by appearing in person, either prior to, or at the last meeting in June. Upon notification, the lodge shall on the last regular meeting in June or the first regular meeting in July, proceed to nominate and elect a Past Noble Grand in good standing to receive the appointment. It shall be the duty of the lodge Secretary to immediately notify the delegate or delegates, under seal of the lodge, of the selection. The delegates shall recommend to the Vice President prior to September 1st, the name of the Past Noble Grand so selected.
- (b) To obtain from the secretaries of the lodges in her district a list of all members deceased since the last Rebekah Assembly and deliver the same to the chairman of the memorial committee.
- (c) To request from each lodge in her district in ample time before the meeting of the Assembly such written instructions as the lodge may desire to submit.
 - (d) To attend the School of Instruction for Delegates at the assembly.
- (e) To make a personal report to the lodges in her district which she represents, not later than December 31st.
 - (f) To make a brief report to the President of the needs and

conditions of each lodge visited.

(g) To hear the Unwritten Work and issue commissions in her own district only, provided the recitation is 100 per cent.

Sec. 7. DUTIES OF DISTRICT DEPUTY PRESIDENT. The duties of

- a District Deputy President within the limit of her district shall be:
- (a) To represent the President and to hold office from the time of her appointment until the appointment of her successor, or her removal from the office by the President.
 - (b) To represent the Secretary of the Assembly in her collection of

dues and per capita tax due the Assembly.

- (c) To obey all orders from the President, to aid and assist her with counsel and advice. To have general supervision over all the lodges in her district and see that the work of the Order is uniformly performed.
 - (d) To perfect herself in the Unwritten Work of the Rebekah degree.
- (e) To officiate, if possible, in each lodge of her district at one installation, but in case of inability to act to appoint a Past Noble Grand, in good standing, to serve.
 - (f) To present the rituals belonging to the lodge to the Noble Grand

on the night of installation.

- (g) To report to the President the condition of the respective lodges in her district one month previous to the session of the Assembly.
 - (h) To present her commission and to have the same read in each

lodge on her first visit thereto.

- (i) To take charge, when so directed by the Grand Master, of all effects of defunct lodges and transmit the same to the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge, together with a complete inventory.
- Sec. 8. Executive Committee—The Executive Committee shall consist of the President, Vice President, Warden, Secretary and Treasurer. They shall advise with the President in regard to the activities and work of the Assembly. In the interim they shall be authorized to pass on such things they deem necessary for the good of the Order and perform such other duties as usually devolve upon such committee.

Expense for meetings, the number of which may not exceed three in any given year, computed at the rate of four cents (4 cents) per lineal mile travel and six dollars (\$6.00) per diem for each member present at said meetings.

ARTICLE VII

- Sec. 1. REBEKAH ASSEMBLY HOME FUND. The Rebekah Assembly shall create and maintain a Rebekah Assembly Home Fund for the purpose of furnishing and replenishing the furnishings as needed by the Iowa Odd Fellows' and Old Folds' Homes, and to provide for school and music supplies and the teaching of music to the children of the Home.
- See, 2 ADVISORY BOARD. An Advisory Board shall be elected consisting of three sisters, members of the Assembly, who shall hold office for three years. One member of the Advisory Board shall be elected annually by the delegates of the Assembly. Nomination and election of the same shall be held at the time of the nomination of Assembly Officers, provided, however that in the event of any annual session of the Assembly be cancelled as provided by law, then the

retiring President, upon the installation of her successor, shall become a member of said Advisory Board and as such serve for a term of three years.

- Sec. 3. DUTIES OF THE ADVISORY BOARD. The duties of the Advisory Board shall be:
 - (A) To elect annually a chairman and a secretary.
- (B) To have general supervision of the expenditure of the Rebekah Assembly Home Fund.
- (c) To authorize payment of bills after being checked by the superintendent or matron of the Homes and approved by the chairman of the board and President of the Rebekah Assembly.
- (d) To confer with the superintendent, matron and board of trustees concerning matters of mutual interest in connection with the work of the Homes.
- (e) To render annually to the Rebekah Assembly a report giving concise statements of the meetings held and work done by the board, said report to be in the hands of the Secretary thirty (30) days prior to the session.
- Sec. 4. MEETINGS. Meetings of the Advisory Board shall be held three times a year at the I.O.O.F. Homes in Mason City. One of these meetings shall be held to coincide with a meeting of the Board of Trustees. Special meetings may be held when necessary upon call of the chairman of the Board or upon written request of the other members of the Board.
- Sec. 5. EXPENSES ALLOWED. The expense allowance of members of the Advisory Board shall be three dollars (\$3.00) for each day actually engaged and eight cents (8 cents) per mile one way for the distance traveled, said expense to be paid from the Rebekah Assembly Home Fund. During the sessions of the Assembly, they shall receive the same mileage and expense allowance as delegates.
- Sec. 6. DUTIES OF MATRON. The Matron of the Homes shall give a complete inventory of all the furnishings in the Homes to the Advisory Board on January 1st of each year. She shall also supply the members of the board with a list of all furnishings needed in the Homes at the time of their regular visits and shall confer with them concerning the work of the Homes as the needs may require.
- Sec. 7. HOME TRUSTEES. Two qualified Sisters, members of the Assembly, shall be members of the Board of Trustees of the Home. One member shall be elected annually to serve for two years and hold office until her successor is elected and qualified. Election of same shall be held at the time of nomination of Assembly Officers.

ARTICLE VIII

Section 1 — The Chairman of the Board of Instruction of the Rebekah Assembly, shall be a qualified member of the Rebekah Assembly, appointed annually by the President. In addition to the Chairman, the President shall appoint two qualified members of this Assembly who reside in the city in which the Assembly is to be held, to assist the Chairman during the Assembly session in examining all Delegates in the Unwritten Work. If a delegate proves her self 100 per cent, the President shall have authority to appoint said delegate to hear and

issue commissions in the Unwritten Work in her own district.

(b) This recitation shall be given by the delegates to the Board of

Instruction during the Assembly session.

(c) All Elective Officers and Past Elective Officers of the Rebekah Assembly shall have the privilege of hearing and issuing Commissions in the Unwritten Work, and the Presidents shall have authority to appoint any qualified member to hear in the work, after she has proven herself one hundred per cent.

(d) All appointees shall be provided with commissions, to be issued to the members reciting the work, at the time of recitation and submit

the names to the Chariman of the Board of Instruction.

Sec. 2. DUTIES. The duties of the Board of Instruction shall be:

(a) To exemplify the Unwritten Work of the Degree at the Assembly and at such other places as the President may request.

(b) The Chairman of the Board of Instruction shall make a report of

Commissions issued in each district at the Assembly session.

Sec. 3. EXPENSE. Expense incurred by the Chairman of the Board of Instruction when complying with the request of a District, Lodge or Lodges to give instruction in, or recitation of the Unwritten Work, shall be paid by the District, Lodge or Lodges making such request.

ARTICLE IX

Sec. 1. STANDING COMMITTEES. The Chairman of each of the following committees shall be appointed by the President immediately after her installation:

Committee on Finance, Committee on Credentials, Committee on election Returns, Committee on Memorial, Committee on Legislation, and Committee on Mileage and Expense. All committees shall be completed before or at the opening of each regular meeting of the Assembly.

Sec. 2. FINANCE COMMITTEE.

(a) The Finance Committee shall report upon all accounts and claims against the Assembly previous to such accounts and claims being allowed. It shall audit annually the accounts of all Officers of the Assembly, and from time to time suggest measures of finance as it may deem expedient.

(b) This committee shall also examine and report on all resolutions pertaining to the expenditure of Assembly funds before being referred

to the Committee on Legislation.

Sec. 3. CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE. All members of the Credential Committee shall report at the Rebekah Assembly Headquarters not later than nine A.M. on the day preceding the opening session, prepared to proceed with the examination of delegates, Past Noble Grands, and Past Grands. The Chairman of the Credential Committee shall have the enrollment of all delegates, using the card index system, completed the day preceding the opening of the Rebekah Assembly session. She shall provide badges to properly qualified delegates. She shall furnish to the Assembly Secretary and to the Chairman of the Mileage and Expense committee a list of all delegates failing to report for examination. She shall report at the close of each session the number of delegates, Past Noble Gaands and Past Grands whose credentials were examined during that session, and at the close of the

Rebekah Assembly session she shall furnish the complete number of all

examined during the entire session.

Sec. 4. COMMITTEE ON ELECTION RETURNS. The Committee on Election Returns shall examine and report on the returns of the canvassing committee on the election of Assembly officers and delegates.

Sec. 5. MEMORIAL COMMITTEE. The Chairman of the Memorial Committee, shall previous to the session of each Assembly, prepare and bring to the Assembly, a list of Rebekah Lodges and numbers thereof, numerically indexed with spaces provided for the names of our members deceased during the year. A report of the officers and members deceased during the year shall be given during the Memorial Hour at the Assembly.

Sec. 6. COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATION: The Committee on Legislation shall consider all proposed Legislation pertaining to either the Assembly or Rebekah Lodge constitution and report thereon for action by this Assembly. This committee shall present all approved amendments to the Grand Lodge at a time designated by the Grand Lodge. This committee shall also examine and report on all Standing

resolutions for action by this Assembly.

Sec. 7. COMMITTEE ON MILEAGE AND EXPENSE. Committee on Mileage and Expense shall report a scheduled list of officers, Past Presidents, Committeemen and Delegates of the Assembly, and any others entitled to mileage and expense, together with their place of residence, and number of miles traveled by each, as well as the number of days of their attendance and the amount each is entitled to receive. The Committee shall submit its report to the Assembly as early as practicable and shall check the report with the Secretary's roll call book and list received from the Credential Committee before recommending amounts of vouchers drawn.

Sec. 8. RELIEF COMMITTEE. The committee on relief shall investigate all applications for aid and if satisfied that the applicant is worthy of assistance, shall recommend to the President the amount to

be contributed and report to the next session of the Assembly.

Sec. 9. SPECIAL DUTIES OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND ASSEMBLY OFFICERS. In the event any annual session of the Assembly be cancelled by the President as by law provided, then in that event the report of the Committee on Finance as contemplated by Section 2 of ARTICLE IX of the Constitution, shall be made in writing to the President, the same to be filed with such officer prior to the time fixed for the installation of officers. Said Committee on Finance, together with the President, Vice President, Warden, Secretary and Treasurer before the installation of officers of the Assembly for the ensuing year, shall pass upon and have authority to allow bills authorized by law, including mileage and expense incidental to the attendance of elective officers and of said Finance Committee, at the time of such installation.

The President and Secretary shall have authority to issue warrants to pay the amounts so allowed and the Treasurer shall pay the same out of the proper funds, and the action of the Committee on Finance together with said elective officers shall have the same force and effect as if their action in reference thereto had been authorized by the

Assembly in annual session.

ARTICLE X

Sec. 1. PER CAPITA TAX.

(a) Rebekah Lodges working under a dispensation instituted in the first half of the term shall report and pay tax at the end of the term, but lodges instituted in the last half of the term shall make report and pay tax at the close of the following term.

(b) Dormant lodges having failed to report and pay tax for more than a year shall, upon being resuscitated, be required to pay only the tax for the previous term on the membership at the time of

reorganization.

- (e) Any lodge failing to report and pay tax for the term shall not be entitled to the term password, neither shall such Rebekah lodge be entitled to vote in the election of delegates or Rebekah Assembly Officers.
- (d) Any lodge failing to report and pay tax for a year shall be deemed an extinct lodge, and the Grand Master is empowered to take up its charter.

Sec. 2. MILEAGE.

(a) Officers, Past Presidents, Messenger, Steneographers, Chairman of the Board of Instruction, Chairman and members of Standing Committees, and Delegates shall receive from the Assembly, mileage to be computed at eight cents (.08) per mile one way.

(b) Non-resident Past Presidents of this Jurisdiction still holding membership in the state when in actual attendance at the session shall

receive mileage computed from their home lodge.

(c) Elective Officers to be installed, not otherwise provided for, shall be entitled to mileage computed at eight (8) cents per mile one way.

Sec. 3. EXPENSE. Expense allowance shall be as follows:

(a) The President, Secretary, Treasurer and four members of the Committee on Finance including the Chairman of said Committee, shall be allowed six dollars (\$6.00) per day for six days.

(b) The Past Presidents, Delegates and three members of the Committee on Credentials including the Chairman of said committee, the Chairman of Committee on Legislation and Steneographers shall be

allowed six dollars (\$6.00) per day for five days.

- (c) All other Officers, Messengers, Chairman of the Board of Instruction, retiring member of the Jurisdictional Youth Committee and Chairmen of Committees shall receive six dollars (\$6.00) per day for four days and the assistants appointed on the Board of Instruction to serve during the session shall receive six dollars (\$6.00) per day for three days.
- (d) Elective Officers to be installed, not otherwise provided for, shall receive six dollars (\$6.00) expense allowance for one day.

Sec. 4. SALARIES OF OFFICERS.

- (a) The salary of the President shall be six hundred dollars (\$600.00) per year, paid monthly.
- (b) The salary and expense of the Secretary shall be eighteen hundred dollars (\$1800.00) per year, paid monthly.
 - Sec. 5. EXPENSE ALLOWED. Expenses shall be allowed as follows:

(a) A sum of six hundred dollars or as much thereof as may be required for traveling expense, shall be allowed the President, paid monthly.

(b) The Vice President and Treasurer shall each receive fifty dollars per year, to be paid semi-annually, and no itemized account shall be

required of the expenditure of the same.

(c) All Elective Officers, Chairman of the Board of Instruction, Chairman of the Advisory Board, Chairman of the Credential Committee, Chairman of the Mileage and Expense Committee and Assembly Youth Committee shall be allowed stationery, postage, and other necessary supplies in their office.

(d) The President shall be allowed one hundred dollars for the

expense of her office, to be paid quarterly.

(e) The Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly shall be allowed her actual traveling expense incurred in assisting in the instituting of a Rebekah lodge.

- (f) The Past Noble Grands assisting in canvassing votes for Delegates and Assembly Officers shall be allowed four dollars (\$4.00) each.
- Sec. 6. BILLS OF OFFICERS. All officers and members of committees incurring expense of postage or otherwise, shall present bills made out by the firm or party to whom the above named members are indebted before said bills will be paid by the Assembly.

ARTICLE XI

- Sec. 1. RESOLUTIONS AND MOTIONS. All resolutions and motions, except resolutions to adopt and to adjourn, shall be made in writing and in duplicate, one copy to be handed immediately to the Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly.
- Sec. 2. APPEALS. All appeals from the decision or action of the Rebekah Assembly shall be made to the Grand Lodge and from the Grand Lodge to The Sovereign Grand Lodge, as provided by the rules and regulations of The Sovereign Grand Lodge.

ARTICLE XII

- Sec. 1. Manner of Amending or Alteration to the Constitution Amendments to the Constitution may be made at an Annual Meeting of the Rebekah Assembly I.O.O.F. of Iowa. When a Rebekah lodge, a Rebekah Assembly Officer, Past Assembly Officer, or duly elected Delegate to the Rebekah Assembly desires to submit an amendment to the Rebekah Assembly Constitution, to be acted upon at the next session, said Rebekah lodge or persons shall prepare in writing, the proposed amendment and file the same with the Assembly Secretary not later than September 1st before the opening of the next session, and when so filed, the Secretary shall have the same printed in her report. Any proposed amendments not so received, but presented in the Assembly session, shall be reported, but shall not be acted upon until the next annual session.
- (a) All amendments proposed as above stated shall be referred to the Legislation Committee for action and consideration by the Rebekah

Assembly when, if two thirds of the delegates present shall vote in favor of the same they shall be declared adopted. Such action must be taken at a time prior to that designated by the Grand Lodge when such amendments must be submitted to the Grand Lodge for action.

(b) A proposition to amend any section of this Constitution having but one unnumbered paragraph shall not be to strike therefrom or add thereto, but shall contain the entire section rewritten to express the law

as intended and shall be a substitute for the section.

(c) A proposition to amend any one paragraph of a section having two or more numbered paragraphs, shall not be to strike from or add to such paragraphs, but shall contain the entire paragraph rewritten as a substitute for the amended paragraph.

STANDING RESOLUTIONS

No. 1. HAWKEYE ODD FELLOW. Resolved, That the Hawkeye Odd Fellow be designated as the official publication of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa and that the Rebekah Assembly subscribe for one copy of the Hawkeye Odd Fellow for each Rebekah Lodge and each Theta Rho Girl's Club in the State at the price of \$1.00 per year.

No. 2. ASSEMBLY DEGREE. Resolved, That the Warden of the Rebekah Assembly confer the Assembly Degree upon candidates at about 10:30 A.M. and 1:30 P.M. on Wednesday and on 10:30 A.M. and

2:30 P.M. on Thursday and 10:30 A.M. on Friday.

No. 3. SEATING OF THE ASSEMBLY. Resolved, That the delegates shall occupy the seats in the front and center of the room, and the visitors those in the rear.

No. 4. MOTION, HOW MADE. Resolved, That any member making or sustaining a motion in the Assembly, shall rise to her feet, give her

name and number of her District.

No. 5. COMMITTEE REPORTS NUMBERED. Resolved, That all committees making reports be required to number them in rotation and provide not less than four copies (in case of the Legislation, five copies) of each report, two to be presented to the Assembly Secretary (in case of Legislation, three copies, one being the original copy), one for the Committee Chairman and one for the Outside Stenographer, who shall retain a copy of all reports made and deliver the same to the Secretary at the close of the Assembly session.

No. 6 CLAIMS AGAINST ASSEMBLY. Resolved, That the Finance Committee shall report only on such claims as have been properly presented to the Rebekah Assembly and referred to said committee for action, and that all claims so referred shall bear the stamp of the Secretary of the Assembly stating that said bills have been properly

presented to the Rebekah Assembly and referred.

No. 7. MILEAGE. Resolved, That each year the mileage, at the rate of the previous session, be allowed unless a resolution changing the

same is adopted before noon of the first day's session.

No. 8. PRESIDENT'S EXPENSE ALLOWANCE TO ATTEND FUNERALS. Resolved, That the President be allowed her expense to attend the funeral of a Grand Master, Grand Patriarch, Department Commander, Department Association President LA.P.M., Grand Matriarch, or elective or past elective officer of the Rebekah Assembly. In case the President is not able to attend such funeral, she shall appoint an elective or past elective officer of the Rebekah Assembly living nearest to the residence of the deceased to attend the funeral and represent the Rebekah Assembly. The expenses of such person so appointed shall be paid by the Assembly.

No. 9. OFFICE RENT. Resolve that the sum of \$200.00 be appropriated annually for rent of Secretary's office and \$100.00 be

appropriated annually for rent of Treasurer's office, both to be paid semi-annually.

No. 10. ADDITIONAL EXPENSE ALLOWANCE. Resolved, That additional expense money of \$20.00 be allowed the Inside Stenographer

for assisting the secretary in preparation of the Journal.

No. 11. JEWELS. Resolved, That the Elective and Appointive officers of the Rebekah Assembly be permitted to have and wear the Jewel of their office during their year of service, each officer to be responsible for her Jewel.

No. 12 TYPEWRITERS. Resolved. That the Assembly stenographers be permitted to each rent the typewriter she wishes to use during the session. The President and Secretary shall be authorized to have their

typewriters repaired when necessary.

No. 13. DEGREE STAFF. Resolved, That the President of the Rebekah Assembly shall select the staff to exemplify the work of the Rebekah Degree at the Assembly session, without expense to the Assembly, or to the lodges of the eity in which the Assembly is held.

No. 14. JEWEL FOR PAST PRESIDENT. Resolved, That the Secretary be empowered to order the Past President's jewel, and bring

it with her to each session.

No. 15. JOURNALS PRINTED. Resolved, That 700 Journals shall be printed annually and bound in paper only. One Journal shall be sent to each Rebekah Lodge in the state to remain on file in the lodge room. That each elective and past elective officer, committee member, appointive officers and delegates of the current session of the Rebekah Assembly, elective and past elective officer of the Grand Lodge, elective officer of the Grand Encampment, the secretaries of each Rebekah Assembly in the United States and Canada, elective officers of the Sovereign Grand Lodge and International Association of Rebekah Assemblies are to receive a copy of the Journal. Others desiring Journals may obtain them from the Assembly Secretary upon payment of one dollar (\$1.00) which will take care of the cost of mailing.

No. 16. VOTE FOR STATE OFFICERS. Resolved, That the vote for each nominee in the election for state officers be printed in the Journal.

No. 17 DECISIONS. Resolved, That all decisions pertaining to the Rebekah Degree given by the Grand Master and approved by the Grand Lodge, and those given by the Sovereign Grand Master and approved by the Sovereign Grand Lodge shall be printed in the proceedings of this Assembly.

No. 18. CONSTITUTIONS PRINTED. Resolved, That the Rebekah Lodge Constitution and the Rebekah Assembly Constitution be printed

in the Assembly Journal.

No. 19. COMMITTEE ON COURTESIES. Resolved, That a Committee on Courtesies, consisting of two Past Presidents, be appointed each session of the Assembly by the Peesident, whose duty it

shall be to thank all for courtesies extended during the session.

No. 20. FLORAL COMMITTEE. Resolved, That the Secretary of this Assembly purchase flowers for deceased officers upon being notified of the death of a Grand Master, Grand Patriarch, Department Commander, Department Association President L.A.P.M., Grand Matriarch, elective or past elective Assembly Officer. She shall send a floral arrangement not to exceed fifteen dollars (\$15.00) in price.

No. 21. MEMORIAL BLANK. Resolved, That a blank for the names of deceased members be issued to the Secretary of each lodge. The Secretary shall fill out the blank and deliver the same to a delegate from her district before the annual session of the Assembly.

No. 22. MEMORIAL HOUR. Resolved, That a blank for the names of deceased members be issued to the Secretary of each lodge. The Secretary shall fill out the blank and deliver the same to a delegate

from her district before the annual session of the Assembly.

No. 22. MEMORIAL HOUR. Resolved, That the Memorial Hour in the Assembly Session consist only of the report of the committee chairman

and that all eulogies be given at the joint public memorial.

No. 23. INSTALLATION. Resolved, That an installation staff, composed of all Past Presidents of the Assembly, shall install the officers of the Assembly at a Public Installation to be held during the session.

No. 24. NEW LEGISLATION. Resolved, That the Secretary of the Grand Lodge, be requested to report to the Secretary of the Assembly, all legislation enacted by the Grand Lodge concerning the Rebekah Assembly, together with the approved decisions of the Grand Master, which affect the Rebekah branch of the Order.

No. 25. NOTICE OF INSTITUTION. Resolved, That we request the Grand Lodge to instruct their Grand Secretary to at once notify the Secretary of the Assembly of any Rebekah Lodge instituted,

reorganized or becoming defunct.

No. 26. REPORT OF INSTITUTION. Resolved, That a duplicate report to the Grand Master and Grand Secretary of the institution of new Rebekah lodges, shall also be sent by the instituting officer to the President and Secretary of the Assembly.

No. 27. TRUSTEES' REPORTS FROM GRAND LODGE. Resolved, That the Grand Lodge be requested to furnish this Assembly with a sufficient number of reports of the Board of Trustees so that each

officer and member may have a copy.

No. 28. SCHOOLS OF INSTRUCTION. Resolved, That the President of the Rebekah Assembly may order five Schools of Instruction annually in connection with a District Convention or otherwise; these places to be designated by the President. The object and purpose of said meeting shall be for better education of our members in our lodge work, to instruct in the Unwritten Work and the conducting of lodge meetings and to transact such other business pertaining to the Advancement of the Rebekah Degree as may be deemed advisable. These Schools of Instruction shall be conducted by the President. Vice President, Warden or Past President of the Rebekah Assembly, I.O.O.F. of Iowa. Actual expenses of the instructor to be paid by the Assembly, mileage to be computed by the nearest route and the same route and the same amount per mile as paid the officers, committeemen and delegates in the previous state session.

No. 29. DRAPING OF CHARTER, ASSEMBLY OFFICER. Resolved, That upon the death of an elective or past elective officer of this Assembly the President shall issue a proclamation through the official publication of the Rebekah Assembly requesting that the charter of

every Rebekah Lodge be draped for thiry (30) days.

No. 30. DRAPING OF CHARTER, REBEKAH MEMBER. Resolved, That upon the death of a member of a Rebekah Lodge the charter of

said Lodge shall be draped for thirty (30) days.

No. 31 DEPOSITORY. Resolved, That the Rebekah Assembly shall at each annual session designate the depository in which all funds of the Rebekah Assembly shall be deposited. If possible, such depository shall be selected from the banks in the city or town from which the Treasurer is elected.

No. 32. POSSESSION. Resolved, That the Treasurer of the Rebekah Assembly shall take charge of all bonds and other property belonging to or held in trust by the Rebekah Assembly. The Treasurer and Assembly President shall place such bonds or other property in a locked box rented for that purpose at the bank, where the Assembly funds are deposited.

No. 33. THE OFFICIAL FLOWER. Resolved, That the Official

Flower of the Rebekah Assembly shall be the chrysanthemum.

No. 34. JOINT YOUTH COMMITTEE. In keeping with the legislation of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows adopted at its 1959 session providing that each Jurisdiction shall establish what shall be known as the Joint Youth Committee which shall have control and jurisdiction of all Theta Rho Girls' Clubs and all authorized youth activities of this jurisdiction.

Be it therefore resolved, That whereas, by resolution, the Grand Lodge of this jurisdiction has delegated to the Rebekah Assembly the authority and control of Theta Rho Girls' Clubs and such other youth activities that may be duly authorized in keeping with the legislation of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, now therefore, be it further resolved, that the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa in regular session does hereby approve of the action of the Grand Lodge of Iowa and does accept jurisdiction and control in keeping with the laws applicable thereto and that there be hereby created a Committee to be designated as the Jurisdictional Youth Committee to consist of three members of the Rebekah Assembly, in good standing, to be appointed by the President. The terms of office shall be one member for three years, one for two years, and one for one year and that the appointments shall be made at this session; thereafter, at their expirations, appointments shall be made annually for a term of three years.

Be it further provided that the President, Vice-President, Warden, and Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly shall serve as members of said Committee, ex-officio, with voice and vote. Be it further provided that said Committee, together with a similiar Committee named by the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge shall constitute themselves as Jurisdictional Joint Youth Committee to govern jointly the affairs of both Theta Rho Girls' Clubs and Junior Lodges and such other youth activities as may be authorized by the Grand Lodge and Rebekah Assembly. The members of said Joint Youth Committee shall organize themselves immediately after the sessions of the Grand Lodge and Rebekah Assembly selecting a Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Secretary. When the Chairman is an Odd Fellow, the Vice-Chairman shall be a Rebekah, or vice-versa.

Be it further provided that said committee shall meet on call of the Chairman at least two times annually. Appointed members shall attend meetings with travel expenses re-imbursed at the mileage rate of four cents per lineal mile traveled.

Be it further provided that adequate funds shall be appropriated annually by the Grand Lodge and Rebekah Assembly for the authorized activities of said Committee. Expense vouchers, signed by the Chairman of said committee, within the appropriated amount shall be

presented to the Assembly Secretary for payment.

Be it further provided that said Committee shall adopt a Constitution for Theta Rho Girls's Clubs and for Junior Lodges and shall be guided in all its' affairs by the code of Laws for Theta Rho Girls' Clubs and Junior Lodges which constitutes Articles VII and VIII of the Code of General Laws of the I.O.O.F. This includes keeping adequate records of Theta, Rho Girls' Clubs and Junior Lodges, location, names, meeting dates, etc.

Be it further provided that the Charter Fee for a Theta Rho Girls' Club be \$25.00 payable to the Secretary of the Grand Lodge. Said fee to include 4 rituals, an official seal, set of books for Recording Secretary, Financial Secretary, Treasurer and a Members register and all other official forms. (Official certificates, applications for membership, etc.)

Be it further provided that the responsibility for instituting arrangements, including the naming of the Instituting and Installing

Officers is delegated to said committee.

Be it further resolved that all laws or parts of laws in conflict with

the above mentioned laws are hereby repealed.

No. 35. PER CAPITA TAX FOR DISTRICT MEETINGS. Resolved, That where Districts organize to hold meeting, they be allowed to levy a ten cents per capita tax on each member in the lodges in the district, for the expense of the District meeting.

No. 36. INSURANCE. Resolved, That each Rebekah Lodge be required to carry insurance to the amount of at least one-half of the

value of its property.

No. 37. HOME COMING. Resolved, That this Assembly designate the first meeting nights in May and November as Home-coming and Dues Paying Nights, the Secretary to notify members in advance and request that each be present to respond to roll call or send a letter to be read when their name is called, and ask each member if in arrears to pay their dues to the end of the term at that meeting.

No. 38. ASSEMBLY NIGHT. Resolved, That this Assembly request the Rebekah Lodges of this Jurisdiction, upon receipt of the annual Journal of Proceedings of this Assembly, to observe as Assembly Night, their next regular meeting at which time principle parts of the Journal shall be read in the Lodge and discussed by the members.

No. 39. INSTRUCTION NIGHT. Resolved, That the first night after installation of officers in each term be known as "Instruction Night." The Noble Grand on her night of installation, shall appoint a Past Noble Grand as Instructor. Said Instructor shall read, or cause to be read, pages 11, 12, 13 and 14 of the Ritual and shall also instruct all elective and appointive officers in their line of work for the term. She shall also organize a class for the study of the Unwritten Work.

No. 40. RALLY DAY. Resolved, That the 23rd day of March, the anniversary of the birth of Schuyler Colfax, founder of the Rebekah Degree, be annually observed by the Rebekah Lodges of the Jurisdiction of Iowa, in a manner befitting the occacion, the same to be

known as "Rally Day."

No. 41. BIRTHDAY OF THOMAS WIDLEY. Resolved, That the 15th day of January, the birthday of Thomas Widley, founder of this Order, be annually observed by the Rebekah Lodges of Iowa in some appropriate manner.

No. 42. CHANGE OF MEETING NIGHTS. Resolved, That when a Rebekah Lodge changes the night of meeting, the Secretary shall notify the President as well as the Secretary of the Assembly of such change.

No. 43, UNITED STATES FLAG. Resolved, That the flag of the United States of America shall be displayed, unfurled in each Rebekah Lodge room of this jurisdiction at all times when such lodge room shall be open for the use of the Rebekah Lodge. And the flag of the United States shall be displayed, unfurled in the room in which this Assembly meets, at all times during the session of said Assembly.

No. 44. APPROPRIATION FOR JURISDICTIONAL JOINT YOUTH COMMITTEE. Resolved, That two hundred dollars (\$200.00) or as much thereof as may be required, be appropriated for expense incurred in carrying out the work of the Jurisdictional Joint Youth Committee throughout the year, and in case the annual session of this Assembly shall be cancelled, the same appropriation shall be set up.

- (a) That at least two meetings be held each year by the Jurisdictional Joint Youth Committee, one immediately following the annual session of the Rebekah Assembly, for the purpose of organization and division of Theta Rho Clubs for visitations by the Committee, the second, and any other committee meetings, club visitations and any other committee business to be allowed the Rebekah Assembly members of this committee from the Jurisdictional Joint Youth Committee appropriation at the rate of four cents (4 cents) per lineal mile.
- (b) This committee shall prepare an annual report of its work which shall be in the hands of the Secretary thirty (30) days prior to the session.

No. 45. PER CAPITA TAX. Resolved, That the Assembly Secretary shall be authorized to draw an order for the payment of the Per Capita Tax of the Association of Rebekah Assemblies, and, in the event that our Assembly is cancelled, she shall make said payment.

No. 46. MILEAGE AND EXPENSE. Resolved, that actual mileage, to be computed by the Automobile Association of America (A.A.A.) by the most direct route, at the rate of \$0.04 per mile and \$75.00 expense be allowed our Assembly Secretary to attend the sessions of the I.A.R.A. Such mileage to be shown as figured by the A.A.A. and filed with the Assembly Secretary 15 days prior to departure for the I.A.R.A. sessions. Upon receipt of this statement, approved by the President and Secretary, the Treasurer shall be authorized to issue a check for the amounts stated, to the Secretary. Should the Secretary be unable to attend after receiving her check, said check shall be immediately returned to the Assembly Treasurer.

No. 47. NAMES OF THOSE RECEIVING THE DEGREE. Resolved, That the names of those receiving the Assembly Degree at the regular session of the Assembly be listed in the Journal after the final report of the Warden.

No. 48. REPORTS OF FINANCE COMMITTEE. Resolved, That the Finance Committee combine their reports to the Assembly where it is

possible to do so, and in presenting several reports at one time said reports be given one introductory heading, but each report numbered.

No. 49. TELEPHONE. Resolved, That the telephone used in the office

of the Assembly Secretary, be paid for by the Assembly.

No. 50. YOUTH CAMPS. Resolved, That the Theta Rho Girls attending camp shall be under the sponsorship of the Rebekah Assembly and the supervision of the Jurisdictional Joint Youth Committee. Provided that the location of the Youth camp shall be reported to the Rebekah Assembly. In the event that the contract for the above named camp shall become void, the new location shall be reported by the executive committee of the Rebekah Assembly.

No. 51. Resolved, That all money collected by the President of the Rebekah Assembly be placed in the Assembly Home Fund, same to be expended at the discretion of the Advisory Board provided the cost of any one item does not exceed \$1,000.00; be further provided that should the cost of any item exceed \$1,000.00 the Advisory Board and Executive Board of the Rebekah Assembly shall meet and consult together

concerning the purchase of said item.

No. 52. PRESIDENT'S YEAR BOOK. Resolved, That each year the President be allowed one hundred fifty dollars (\$150.00) toward the printing of 1,000 copies of her Year Book and Program, and that two

copies be sent to each Rebekah Lodge.

No. 53. FOUR STATE CONCLAVE. Resolved, That the Junior Past President of the Rebekah Assembly be designated Co-Chairman of the Four State Conclave and that expense allowance for the Co-Chairman and President be twenty dollars (\$20.00) each, and that when it is necessary to entertain International Officers at the Four State Conclave, the Co-Chairman be authorized to take care of the expense of said officers and present for payment an itemized statement to the Assembly at the following session.

No. 54. HOME MATRON EXPENSE. Resolved, That the Matron of the Independent Order of Odd Fellow's Home, at Mason City, be allowed nine dollars (\$9.00) expense money when in attendance at the

session of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa.

No. 55. INSURANCE PREMIUM FOR CAMP HALADA. Resolved, That the insurance premium on the girls and Rebekah sisters attending Camp Halada be paid from Theta Rho Recreation Fund.

No. 56. GREETINGS COMMITTEE RECEIVED. Resolved, That we receive greetings from Committees of all branches of the Order at

eleven A.M. on Thursday of the Assembly Session.

No. 57. CHAIRMAN OF COMMUNITY SERVICE EXPENSE. Resolved, That the president of the Rebekah Assembly may appoint a Community Service Chairman, and if appointed, said chairman be allowed fifteen dollars (\$15.00) expense money. The Chairman of this committee shall prepare a summary of Community Service as reported by the lodges during the year, and submit same to the Secretary thirty (30) days prior to the session and give a report of same in the Assembly.

No. 58. PLANNING BOARD. Resolved, That in accordance with Section 279.2 of the Code of General Laws, the President of the Assembly shall appoint two qualified members of this Assembly to serve on the Grand Bodies Planning Board, one to be appointed for a

term of one year, and one to be appointed for a term of two years. Thereafter appointments shall be for a term of two years. Mileage allowance for travel by the members of this Board shall be computed at three cents (3 cents) per lineal mile traveled in attendance at the meetings of said Board.

No. 59. BONDS FOR LODGE OFFICERS. Resolved, That at the proper time every three years the Assembly Secretary shall renew the Schedule Bond carried with The American Surety Company covering the Treasurer, Financial Secretary, Recording Secretary, and each Trustee of the Rebekah Lodges in the state, the minimum coverage which shall be one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00). Premiums for said bond shall be paid for by the Rebekah Lodges upon notification by the Assembly Secretary of the amount and date the premium is due.

No. 60. SEATING OF ASSEMBLY OFFICERS. Resolved, That the Official seating of Rebekah Assembly Officers be held as a part of the opening session of the Assembly, and be under the supervision of the Assembly President or such committee as she may designate and at no

expense to the Assembly.

No. 61. RECEPTION HONORING OFFICERS. Resolved, That the reception honoring the Officers of the Rebekah Assembly, the Officers of the Grand Lodge as well as the elective officers of all branches of the Order, be held on the evening prior to the opening of the Assembly and Grand Lodge session. The place and arrangements for same to be in charge of the local committee.

No. 62. LEGISLATION PASSED. Resolved, That copies of the Legislation passed at each session be mailed to the Officers, Past Presidents and to the Appointive Officers at the same time as it is

mailed to the Secretaries of the Rebekah Lodges.

No. 63. TRAVELING EXPENSE. Resolved, That the Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly be allowed twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for necessary travel in preparation and supervision of the printing of the Journal of Proceedings.

No. 64. EMBLEM. Resolved, Providing the President of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa chooses to have a Traveling Emblem and presents an itemized statement of same, a sum not to exceed fifty dollars (\$50.00) shall be allowed by this Assembly.

No. 65 SPECIAL SESSION. Resolved, That the Special Session preceding the Annual Session of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa, be

called for 2:30 P.M. on the day preceding said Annual Session.

No. 66. FISCAL YEAR. The fiscal year of the Rebekah Assembly shall begin on August 1st of one year and end on July 31st of the following year. No monies received after July 31st shall be included in

the report for a fiscal year.

No. 67. PER CAPITA TAX. Resolved, That for the purpose of raising revenue to pay the expenses of the Rebekah Assembly, the necessary Grand Lodge Home Maintenance Tax and the required Sovereign Grand Lodge Tax each Rebekah Lodge in the State shall pay to the Rebekah Assembly a total Per Capita Tax of two dollars and sixty cents (\$2.60) per annum.

For the term ending December 31st per capita tax shall be twenty five cents (\$.25) per member which shall be credited to the General Fund of the Rebekah Assembly, seventy five cents (\$0.75) a member

shall be credited to the Grand Lodge Home Maintenance Fund and twenty five cents (\$0.25) per member to the Sovereign Grand Lodge Tax. For the term ending June 30th the per capita tax to be paid shall be thirty five cents (\$0.35) per member which shall be credited to the General Fund of the Rebekah Assembly, seventy five cents (\$0.75) per member credited to the Grand Lodge Home Maintenance Fund and twenty five cents (\$0.25) per member to be credited to the Sovereign Grand Lodge Tax.

These sums shall accompany the Annual and Semi-annual reports and shall be mailed to the Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly not later

than February 15th and July 15th.

It shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly to remit to the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge seventy five (\$0.75) cents per member of the January tax and seventy five (\$0.75) cents per member of the July tax not later than February 26th and July 28th, said amounts to be placed in the Grand Lodge Home Maintenance Fund.

No. 68. SECRETARIES MEETINGS. Resolved, That Secretary meetings be held at the option of the districts as set up by the Assembly Secretary in cooperation with the Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Iowa. The expense of the Assembly Secretary, not to exceed fifty (\$50.00) dollars to be paid from the General Fund of this Assembly.

No. 69. STATE LODGE NO. 1. Resolved, That when the Charter of a Rebekah Lodge is surrendered to the Grand Master, all members of said lodge automatically become members of Georgia Quigley State Lodge No. 1. Membership may be continued by payment of regular dues to the Assembly Secretary.

Members of Georgia Quigley State Lodge No. 1 may join an active Rebekah Lodge by obtaining a withdrawal card, which card or Official Certificate must accompany the application for membership in a

Rebekah Lodge.

Those who continue membership in Georgia Quigley State Lodge No. 1, and who are not otherwise disqualified under the constitution and rules and regulations of the Iowa Odd Fellows and Orphans Homes shall be eligible for admission to the Home.

The Assembly Secretary shall be the Secretary and Treasurer of Georgia Quigley State Lodge No. 1 and shall deposit funds collected in the General Fund. The Assembly Secretary shall keep a record of all members, and account for all monies received from the members of Georgia Quigley State Lodge No. 1, and make her report to the Rebekah Assembly each year.

The Assembly President and Assembly Secretary shall be and are hereby empowered to issue receipts in payment of dues, and all necessary cards and certificates, and by the adoption of this resolution are empowered to provide any further necessary legislation for the

operation of Georgia Quigley State Lodge No. 1.

No. 70. UNITED NATIONS PILGRIMAGE COMMITTEE. Resolved, For the functioning of the United Nations Pilgrimage for the Youth in this jurisdiction, the Grand Master and the Assembly President shall each appoint two members of their respective Grand Bodies to serve as the United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth Committee. Each shall

appoint one member for a one year term, and one for a two year term and following this each Grand Master and President shall appoint for

two year term.

The duties of this committee shall include the selection and recommendation of the United Nations Tour Director and Leaders, which are to be recommended to the International Director of the Pilgrimage for Youth and also those duties delegated to them by the United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth Committee of the Sovereign Grand Lodge.

The chairman of this committee shall be chosen by mutual agreement of the Grand Master and President with the co-chairman

being selected from the opposite branch of the Order.

Expenses of said committee, mileage and postage shall be shared equally by the Grand Lodge and Rebekah Assembly, mileage paid at

the current rate of payment.

Be it further provided that \$50.00 (fifty - dollars) shall be appropriated annually by the Grand Lodge and the Rebekah Assembly for the authorized activities of said committee, expenses itemized, signed by the Chairman of said committee, within the appropriated amount, shall be presented to the Grand Secretary and Assembly Secretary for payment.

Be it further provided that said committee shall meet on the call of

Chairman at least two times annually.

No. 71. FINANCE COMMITTEE. Resolved, That one member of the Finance Committee be appointed for a second term of one year to be served at the following session of the Rebekah Assembly.

No. 72. RESOLVED: That if the President of the Rebekah Assembly chooses to have a color bearer that this officer be allowed mileage and

six (\$6.00) per day for 4 days.

No. 73. RESOLVED: That if the President of the Rebekah Assembly chooses to have a Soloist, Assistant Marshal and Assistant Conductor,

she may do so at no expense to this assembly.

No. 74. RESOLVED: That the Rebekah Lodges voluntarily donate the sum of three cents (\$0.03) per member to the Annual Homes Picnie held the second Sunday in July at our Homes at Mason City.

CONSTITUTION

FOR REBEKAH LODGES

For the purpose of securing uniformity in conducting business in Rebekah lodges, the Grand Lodge of Iowa, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, ordains the following Constitution for the government of such lodges under its jurisdiction.

Section 1. Organization. This lodge shall consist of not less than five members, irrespective of sex, and shall be known as ————Rebekah Lodge, No. ———, I.O.O.F., and shall possess the powers and privileges of a Rebekah lodge, chartered by the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

Sec. 2 Powers. This lodge shall have power to confer the Rebekah

Degree on such persons as are hereinafter named in Section 9.

Sec. 3. Meetings — When Held — Regular meeting shall be held at least twice each month and the lodge must specify in their By-Laws whether they hold their meetings in the first and third weeks or the second and fourth weeks of the month. Said meetings to be opened within fifteen minutes after the time specified in the By-Laws.

(a) From July 15th to September 1st may be considered Vacation months and the meetings be suspended during this period should the lodge vote to do so at their last regular meeting night in June, providing the Semi - Annual Report and Per Capita Tax as specified in Standing Resolution be forwarded to the Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly not later than July 15th.

If a lodge votes to vacation during said period, the President and the Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly must be notified.

- (b) No children of any age shall be present at any regular lodge meeting.
- I. Special Meetings. Special meetings may be held upon the call of the Noble Grand or upon the written request of five members, one of whom shall be qualified to preside.
- II. Whenever a special meeting shall be called, all members in good standing shall be notified, either by written or verbal notice or by publication in a newspaper; and such notice shall state the object of said meeting, and no other business shall be transacted than that for which it is called.
- III. Lodge not to transact business on Sunday. No lodge shall hold any meeting for work or business on Sunday, except for funeral purposes.
- Sec. 4 Presiding Officer in the Absence of the Noble Grand and Vice Grand. If at any regular or special meeting the Noble Grand and Vice

Grand shall both be absent, the Junior Past Noble Grand present shall preside during the meeting, or until one of said officers shall enter the lodge.

- Sec. 5 Quorum. Each lodge is required to designate in its By-Laws what number of members, not less than five, one of whom shall be qualified to preside, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.
- Sec. 6. Election Not Legal Unless a Quorum Votes. A quorum must always vote in this lodge to constitute a legal election of a candidate for membership, or admission of a member.
- Sec. 7 Quorum Necessary to Transact Business. No business can be transacted in this lodge unless there be a quorum of the members of said lodge.
- Sec. 8. Resident Applicants. In the event of there being two or more lodges in the same town, the choice of the lodge to which he or she may present his or her petition for membership either by initiation, withdrawal card, dismissal certificate or official certificate will be theirs.
- Sec. 8a. Non-resident Applicants. If the applicant be a resident of another jurisdiction, the consent of the Grand Master, both of the jurisdiction of his or her residence, and that in which the application is made, must accompany his or her application.

Section 9. Membership — Subject to the laws, "relative to residence" of The Sovereign Grand Lodge and of the Grand Lodge of the Jurisdiction of the Rebekah Lodge to which application is made, all persons of good moral character who believe in a Supreme, Intelligent, Creator and Ruler of the Universe, and who have received the Rebekah degree are eligible to membership in a Rebekah Lodge of this Order.

Section 9a. Qualification for Degree. Subject to the laws "relative to residence" of The Sovereign Grand Lodge and of the Grand Lodge of the jurisdiction of the Rebekah Lodge to which the application is made, the persons of good moral character who believe in a Supreme, Intelligent Creator and Ruler of the Universe, herein specified, shall be eligible to receive the Rebekah degree:

- (1). All Odd fellows of the Degree of Truth in good standing.(2). All women who have attained the age of eighteen years.
- Sec. 10. Petitions. Petitions for membership in this lodge, either by initiation, withdrawal, or visiting card, dismissal certificate, or official certificate, must be presented in writing at a regular meeting of the lodge, together with the proposition, certificate of the Secretary of the subordinate lodge and report of the Investigating Committee, the form

provided by the Sovereign Grand Lodge.

- Sec. 11. Investigating Committee. The Noble Grand shall appoint a committee of three, whose duty it shall be to inquire into the character, habits and standing of an applicant for membership, and report thereon to the lodge, on a succeeding regular night of meeting, but such applicant may be permitted to withdraw his or her petition at any time prior to report thereon but not thereafter. If the application is withdrawn the Secretary shall notify all Rebekah lodges within the town or city thereof.
- Sec. 12. Report of Committee. When the Investigating Committee has reported upon a petition of an applicant the same shall be balloted for

with ball ballots, at a regular meeting only, and, if not more than two black balls appear, he or she shall be declared elected. If more than two black balls appear, he or she shall be declared rejected.

Collective Balloting: When more than one petition for membership shall be before this lodge for action at the same meeting, a collective ballot may be taken upon all such petitions, but should three or more black balls appear in said collective ballot, then said collective ballot shall be void and a separate ballot shall be cast upon each petition.

Previous to balloting for said applicant the presiding officer shall deliver the following charge to the members, which shall be considered

binding upon them:

Sisters and Brothers: You are about to decide upon the election of a candidate for membership to this lodge. Before voting let me admonish you to permit no religious, political or personal prejudice to influence your decision, but judge of the character of the applicant according to the same just and honorable standard by which you would have your own merits appreciated; by adhering to such rule you will insure the admission of none but worthy members into your lodge, and preserve in it the perpetual harmony of Friendship, Love and Truth.

In balloting for members, the ballot box must be inspected by the Noble Grand, after which it shall be placed in the center of the hall, in full view of the Noble Grand and Vice Grand; but one member shall approach the same at a time. After the ballot has been declared closed by the Noble Grand, the same shall be examined by the Noble Grand and Vice Grand together in the center of the room. After the Noble Grand has obtained from the Vice Grand the result of the ballot, and the Noble Grand has declared the candidate elected or rejected, the ballot shall be destroyed by the Noble Grand at her station. In case there is a difference of opinion as to the result of the ballot, the Noble Grand and Vice Grand shall proceed with the second examination of the ballot before any decision of the result of the ballot be made.

Sec. 12a. Initiation. In initiating a candidate into a Rebekah lodge the work prescribed by the Ritual furnished by The Sovereign Grand Lodge must be adhered to, and no person except a member of the Rebekah

lodge shall witness such work.

1. Rebekah lodges shall confer the degree only on those who apply for membership therein, provided however, that upon the written request of a lodge in which the candidate has been elected, another lodge may, within the time prescribed by law, initiate, or have a visiting degree staff initiate such a candidate for the lodge making such request. The Recording Secretary of the lodge in which the candidate has been elected shall forward a copy of the by-laws of said lodge to the Recording Secretary of the lodge under whose charter the initiation is being held, with a written request to initiate. The Recording Secretary of the Rebekah lodge holding the initiation shall secure from the candidate his or her signature to a written agreement to support, maintain and abide by the Constitution and Laws of the Sovereign Grand Lodge of the I.O.O.F., the Grand Lodge of the jurisdiction of which his or her lodge belongs, and to the by-laws of the Rebekah lodge of which he or she is becoming a member; such statement to be forwarded without delay to the lodge making the request for the initiation. The request for conferring the degree and the written

Iowa,

agreement to be signed by the candidate shall be in the following form:

REQUEST FOR CONFERRING THE REBEKAH DEGREE

Hall of —— —— Rebekah Lodge, No.

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To ———— Rebekah Lodge, No.	
Greetings:	
This is to certify that	has made application for
membership in this lodge in the re	egular form, the same as been acted
upon and (she or he) has been ele	cted to receive the Rebekah Degree,
and by vote of this lodge you ar	re requested to confer the same in
accordance with The Sovereign Gra	and Lodge regulations.
You are requested also to require	e the candidate to sign personally the
attached Certificate, the same to	o be detached and mailed, without
delay, to	
	Secretary
Rebekah Lodge, No, -	lowa.
(Seal)	

CERTIFICATE OF DEGREE

I hereby solemnly promise to support, maintain and abide by the Constitution and laws of The Sovereign Grand Lodge of the I.O.O.F. and the Grand Lodge and Rebekah Assembly of Iowa and of this lodge or any Rebekah lodge of which I may become a member.

I hereby certify the above named candidate received the Rebekah degree in legal form and personally signed the above statement.

Rebekah Lodge, No. - Iowa.
Date

II. In the case of brothers, membership in a Rebekah lodge is dependent on continued good standing in a subordinate lodge, except that if a brother shall take a withdrawal card from the subordinate lodge of which he may be a member, his membership in his Rebekah lodge shall not be affected thereby for one year from the date of said withdrawal card, if during that time he shall keep his dues paid up in the Rebekah lodge; and if he shall, during said year, become a member of another lodge by deposit of said card, his membership in the Rebekah lodge shall not be affected by the taking of the card.

Sec. 13. Membership with an Official Certificate. Any member of this Degree shall have the privilege of applying for membership in any Rebekah Lodge accompanying the application with an official certificate in date, without first applying for a withdrawal card from the lodge in which he or she holds membership. Upon the election of the Brother or Sister by the lodge which he or she applied for membership, said lodge shall notify the lodge of which he or she is a member of such election, returning said official certificate when being free from all charges and the payment of all dues and fees, said lodge

may upon favorable ball ballot issue a withdrawal card. Upon the deposit of such card with the lodge in which he or she was elected, he or she shall be entitled to sign the members register and upon the signing of which and the payment of all admission fees required by the by-laws of said lodge, his or her membership in the lodge to which he or she made application is completed.

In the event the lodge to which he or she applies for membership as aforesaid, shall refuse his or her application, such preceedings on his or her part and the part of such lodge shall in no way effect membership in his or her former lodge. A favorable ballot under this

section cannot be reconsidered.

Sec. 14. Favorable Ballots — Reconsideration Of. A favorable ballot may be reconsidered at any time previous to initiation, upon a two-thirds vote, by ball ballot, of all members present. When such favorable ballot is reconsidered the lodge shall at that or the next regular meeting proceed to a new ballot, as provided in Section 12 hereof.

Sec. 15. Unfavorable Ballot Reconsidered. Unfavorable ballots may be reconsidered only when all the brothers and sisters who have cast black balls against an applicant for membership voluntarily make a motion for reconsideration, and in such case the vote for reconsideration shall be by ball ballot; and, if all the ballots cast shall be in favor of it, the reconsideration, and in such case the vote for reconsideration shall be by ball ballot; and, if all the ballots cast shall be in favor of it, the reconsideration shall be had. Whereupon the application shall lay over till the succeeding regular meeting, when another ballot shall be had with ball ballots, and if the same be unanimously in favor of the applicant, he or she shall thereby be elected; but if one or more black balls appear in either ballot, the applicant shall be rejected; and in no case shall a reconsideration he had, except upon the voluntary motion of all those who cast the black balls, and one reconsideration only shall be allowed in any one case, and, provided always, that such reconsideration shall be had within the four regular meeting nights next succeeding the rejection.

Sec. 16. Re-Application for Membership. An applicant for membership who has been rejected, cannot again apply for membership within six months from the time of his or her rejection.

Sec. 17. Membership — When to Commence. Membership shall commence from the time the applicant signs the Constitution of the lodge.

Sec. 18. Forfeiture of Election. An election to membership shall be forfeited if the applicant does not present himself or herself for initiation, or to sign the Constitution, within two months after election — unless prevented by sickness or excused by the lodge.

Sec. 19 Constitution — Signing of It. This lodge shall keep a book wherein shall be found recorded the constitution of this lodge, and at the end of such record the following to be signed by all members, to-wit:

We, the undersigned, each for himself or herself, promise to obey and comply with the foregoing Constitution, and amendments thereto, and all our rights and duties thereunder shall be determined solely by the laws and tribunals of this Order.

Sec. 20. Black Book. This lodge shall have a black book, in which shall be entered the names of all persons rejected, suspended or expelled by this lodge, or any lodge from which it may have received due notice, with the date and cause of such suspension or expulsion.

Sec. 21. Notification of Rejection, Etc. Whenever this lodge rejects, suspends or expels a member the Recording Secretary shall immediately notify all Rebekah lodges in the town or city: and in all cases of suspension, (except for non - payment of dues) or expulsion, said officer shall immediately notify the Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly.

Sec. 22. No Honorary Membership Allowed. No honorary membership shall exist in this lodge, and no person shall be initiated or admitted to membership without having paid the requisite fee.

Sec. 23. Fees — Admission. Every application for membership by initiation must be accompanied by the proposition fee prescribed by the By-Laws of this lodge which shall not be less than five (\$5.00) dollars.

Every application for membership whether by Official Certificate, Visiting or Withdrawal Card, or Dismissal Certificate, must be accompanied by a fee of not less than one (\$1.00) dollar, as the By-Laws shall provide.

Sec. 24. Fees Returned or Forfeited. If the applicant for membership is rejected the fee shall be returned to him or her by the Recording Secretary; if elected, said fee goes into the treasury of the lodge as its property — even if the applicant afterwards forfeits his or her election as herein provided.

Sec. 25. Elective Officer — The Elective Officers of this lodge shall be a Noble Grand, a Vice Grand, a Recording Secretary, a Financial Secretary, (provided that when all the Secretarial duties of this lodge shall be performed by one officer, then the title of such officer shall be Secretary) and a Treasurer, all of whom shall be elected the first meeting night in December of each year.

Sec. 26. Nominations and Qualifications of Elective Officers. Nominations for elective officers, excepting delegates to the Rebekah Assembly, shall be made on the night of election, and no member can be voted for unless he or she has been nominated.

Sec. 27. Election of Officers. Each elective officer must be voted for separately by written ballot, and each must receive a majority of all the votes cast to be elected; and when there are more than two candidates in nomination and one having the least number of votes shall be withdrawn at each ballot. In the event of there being but one candidate for an office, the ballot may be dispensed with, and on motion, the Secretary may be authorized to cast the vote of the lodge.

Sec. 28. Appointive Officers. The appointive officers of this lodge shall be a Warden, a Conductor, an Inside Guardian, an Outside Guardian, Right and Left Supporter to the Noble Grand, a Chaplain and a Musician, who shall be appointed by the Noble Grand, and a Right and Left Supporter of the Vice Grand who shall be appointed by the Vice Grand, on the night of Installation.

In addition to the above named Appointive Officers the Noble Grand may appoint a Color Bearer, who when so appointed shall receive the same consideration as other appointive officers.

Sec. 29. Installations. Installations shall take place at the first

regular meeting of the term except in cases of emergency; provided, that no installation shall be had in any Rebekah lodge, nor shall a lodge be furnished with the Term Password unless the reports and Rebekah Assembly dues shall have been paid as evidenced by a receipt therefor from the Assembly Secretary, or paid to the installing officer who shall at once remit the same to the Assembly Secretary; and provided further, that no elective officer can be installed unless he or she has committed to memory at least the opening and closing charges of his or her office; and provided, further, that the Noble Grand-elect and Vice Grand-elect shall recite in open lodge, to the satisfaction of the lodge, the opening and closing ceremonies, the Unwritten Work and the admonition to members before balloting for applicants, as set forth in Section 12 hereof, except at special election. Action upon the recitation of said officers-elect must be made by proper motion, duly seconded and carried, and placed upon the minutes of the lodge. All appointive officers are required to commit to memory their charges in four weeks after their appointment, in default of which the Noble Grand shall declare the office vacant (except in case of sickness) and appoint another member thereto, on whom the above requirements shall also be considered binding.

Sec. 30. Private Installations. Private installation shall be conducted by the District Deputy President, or in his or her inability to act or at his or her request, by a Past Noble Grand in good standing; provided, however, that any elective officer of the Grand Lodge or of the Rebekah Assembly when present, may conduct the same.

Sec. 31. Installations — Public. Installations may be public only when conducted by the Grand Master or Assembly President or an elective officer of the Grand Lodge or Rebekah Assembly or the duly qualified District Deputy President of the District and upon the express condition that the form of public installation prescribed by The Sovereign Grand Lodge alone shall be used and according to the provisions of Section 911, Code of General Laws, 1932, and amendments thereto.

Sec. 32. Vacancies, When; How Filed. Any officer absenting himself or herself for more than three successive meetings, his or her office may be declared vacant, by a vote of the lodge; and all vacancies shall be filled to serve the residue of the term.

Sec. 33. Qualifications of Noble Grand and Vice Grand. After the first term of the lodge no member shall be eligible for the office of Noble Grand unless he or she has filled the office of Vice Grand; nor after the first two terms of a lodge, the office of Vice Grand unless he or she has filled two terms in some elective or appointive office of a Rebekah Lodge, other than Trustee. (Service in office whether elective or appointive is qualification for office in any other lodge as well as the one in the office is filled.)

Sec. 33a. Service in Office. Officers must serve a majority of the meetings held in a term, and to the end of the term, in order to be entitled to the honors of the office. Officers elected, or appointed, to fill vacancies, and serving to the end of the term, shall be entitled to the honors of the office. Service in office in a subordinate lodge shall not be a qualification for office in a Rebekah lodge.

Sec. 34. Emergency Qualifications. In case all members qualified as

required by Section 33 hereof, refuse to accept either of the elective offices therein mentioned any member in good standing may be elected thereto, providing that before any such officer shall be installed or act as such officer, a dispensation for the purpose shall be obtained from the Assembly President.

Sec. 35. Nomination and Election of Delegates. The nomination for and election of delegates to the Rebekah Assembly shall be in manner and form as prescribed for the election of officers in Rebekah lodges, and the candidates receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared elected.

Nomination shall be made at the first meeting night in the month of May. In case two or more names are presented as nominees, a ballot shall immediately be taken and the name receiving the majority of all votes cast shall be the nominee of said lodge. Past Noble Grands can be nominated only in the lodge to which they belong. Immediately upon such nomination being made, the Recording Secretary shall notify, by mail, all other lodges in the District of the nomination. Said notice shall be under seal of the lodge and shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope. The election shall be held the first regular meeting night in June, and no Past Noble Grand shall be voted for unless she has been duly nominated on the first regular meeting in May, and the laws relative thereto have been compiled with. On the night of election, immediately after the opening of the lodge, the Noble Grand shall declare the ballot open for receiving votes for Delegates and shall appoint two tellers to receive the votes; and immediately before closing the lodge, the Noble Grand shall declare the ballot closed.

The sister elected to Delegate must be in good standing in the lodge and said lodge must be in good standing on the records of the Assembly. She must be a member and a regular attendant of the lodge in the District from which she was elected. After election, removal from the District from which she was elected, creates a vacancy.

Section 36. Who is Entitled to Vote. All members of the lodge in good standing shall be entitled to vote, a record by the Secretary being kept of the names of the members voting, and each of said members shall select and write on one ballot as many names from the nominees of the District as said District is entitled to Delegates. Lodges working under a dispensation, if having complied with all requirements, can vote for a Past Noble Grand in her district for a Delegate, but cannot nominate a Delegate from their own lodge.

Sec. 37. Canvassing Vote. It shall be the duty of the Noble Grand and Recording Secretary = with the assistance of the tellers — of each lodge within such district, immediately upon the close of the ballot for delegate, to count the same in open lodge, making an abstract of the vote so cast, sign the same, cause the result to be entered upon the minutes, and immediately certify to the Vice President the number of votes cast, and for whom.

Sec. 37a. If the return from any lodge is not mailed within ten days after the first meeting night in June of the lodge from which the return is sent, it shall not be counted.

Sec. 38. The certificate to be in the following form:

REPORT OF ELECTION OF DELEGATES

Hall of ———— Rebekan Lodge, No. ——— Election held the first
regular meeting night, June ——, 19—— ——— Iowa —————
19——
To Vice President of Rebekah Assembly, I.O.O.F. of the
State of Iowa, ———— Iowa.
We hereby certify that at an election held on the first regular
meeting night in June, 19-, in accordance with the provisions of
Section 3 of Article III, of the Constitution of the Rebekah Assembly,
I.O.O.F. of Iowa, and the result was as follows:
Name
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Address
P.N.G. of Norec'dvotes
P.N.G. of Norec'dvotes
P.N.G. of Norec'dvotes
We hereby certify that only votes from persons actually present were
received.
Noble Grand
(Seal) ————Recording Secretary
Which certificate shall be enclosed in an envelope, marked "Vote of
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Rebekah Lodge, No. ——, for Delegate of District No. ——,
of Iowa'' and addressed To Vice President of Rebekah
Assembly, Iowa.
Sec. 39. Vacancies. All vacancies occurring by resignation, death,
removal from the District or Districts she represents or by any other

removal from the District or Districts she represents or by any other cause, shall be filled by the President, who shall appoint a Past Noble Grand from the same lodge to fill the vacancy, and the Past Noble Grand so appointed shall meet all requirements for an elected delegate. The delegate so appointed shall serve to the end of the term for which she was appointed.

(a) In case the lodge has no one who wishes to accept the appointment, the President shall appoint a qualified Past Noble Grand from another lodge in the district to fill the vacancy.

Sec. 40. District Deputy President. (a) The President of the Rebekah Assembly, I.O.O.F. shall at the time of her installation, appoint the District Deputy Presidents for the various Districts in the State. All lodges in said Districts will be required to conform to said appointments.

(b) A Rebekah Lodge, upon notification by the Delegate that they are entitled to nominate and elect a qualified Past Noble Grand to receive the appointment as District Deputy President, shall, on their last regular meeting in June or their first regular meeting in July, proceed to nominate and elect a Past Noble Grand in good standing to receive said appointment. It shall be the duty of the lodge secretary to immediately notify the Delegate or Delegates, under seal of the lodge, of such selection.

DUTIES OF OFFICERS

Sec. 41. Noble Grand. It shall be the duty of the Noble Grand—

I. To preside at all meetings at which he or she may be present; to preserve strict order and decorum and enforce the Constitution and

II. To decide all questions of order, subject to appeal, by two

members from his or her decision to the lodge.

- III. To give the casting vote on all question on which there may be an equal division of members except in the election of a candidate to membership, the election of officers, and appeals from his or her decision.
- IV. To inspect all ballots on application for membership, or certificate after same have been inspected by the Vice Grand, and report thereon to the lodge.
- V. To sign all orders drawn on the Treasurer for the payment of such sums of money as may from time to time be voted; and such cards, certificates, official receipts or notices as may require his or her signature to authenticate them.

VI. To appoint the officers, specified in Section 28 hereof, at the time

of his or her installation.

VII. To appoint, at the same time, such standing committees as the lodge may prescribe; and from time to time, such other committees as may be required by the Constitution and laws, directed by the lodge.

VIII. To visit a sister whose residence is within the corporate limits of the lodge, immediately upon being notified of her illness, and continue to do so at least once each week during such illness; and see that she is duly provided with attendants if required.

IX. To, upon the death of a sister, call upon the family or friends of the deceased and ascertain whether it is their desire that the funeral be conducted according to the ceremonies of the Rebekah lodge; and if such is desired, he or she shall make all necessary arrangements for

X. To appoint all special committees, unless the resolution or motion

providing for their appointment shall direct otherwise.

XI. To, on the last meeting night of June and December, appoint a committee of three to audit the accounts and books of any officer or Trustee having disbursements of any funds belonging to the lodge.

XII. To, on the night of his or her installation, appoint a Finance Committee of three members, whose duty it shall be to examine all

bills or claims against the lodge.

XIII. He or she may declare the official functions of an officer of this lodge suspended, when a charge is preferred against said officer, during the pendency of his or her trial.

XIV. To generally do and perform such other duties as may be

required by the laws and usages of the Order.

XV. To appoint a reporter each term whose duty it shall be to write for local papers and for the official publication of the Rebekah Assembly.

XVI. On the night of installation in January of each year, the Noble Grand shall appoint two staffs sufficiently large to conduct the burial ceremony and the ceremony of Draping the Charter. It shall be their duty to prepare their work so as to be able to conduct the services for which they were appointed within thirty days without any assistance of books. The Noble Grand shall also appoint a Musician whose duty it

shall be to furnish appropriate music for each service.

XVII. In towns where Theta Rho Clubs have been formed, the Noble Grand shall appoint a committee to be known as the Theta Rho Girls' Club Committee. It shall be the duty of this committee to work with Advisory Officers of the club and assist them in any way possible to promote membership and devise ways and means of ehlping the club.

Sec. 42. Vice Grand. It shall be the duty of the Vice Grand—

I. To assist the Noble Grand in executing the duties of his or her office; preserving order and decorum in the lodge.

II. With the Noble Grand to inspect all ballots for membership, withdrawal cards or certificates, and report thereon to the lodge.

III. To preside over the lodge in the absence of the Noble Grand.

- IV. To visit a sister immediately upon being notified of her illness, and continue to do so, if the residence of such sister be within the corporate limits of the lodge, at least once each week during such illness.
- V. To generally perform such other duties as may be required by the lodge, and the laws and usages of the Order.
- Sec. 43. Recording Secretary. It shall be the duty of the Recording Secretary—

I. To keep accurate minutes of the transactions of the lodge.

II. To read all reports, petitions and communications that may be presented.

III. To draw all orders upon the Treasurer, whether under appropriation by the lodge or legally requested by the Noble Grand or

committee duly authorized for the purpose.

IV. To fill up and sign cards, certificates and reports which may require his or her signature to attest them, and to affix to the same, and all other documents which may require it, (except as provided in Clause VIII, Section 44 hereof), the seal of the lodge, which seal shall be in his or her custody.

V. To make out all notices required for special meetings, or other

purposes, except as otherwise provided.

VI. To deliver to his or her successor the seal, and all books and papers pertaining to this office, which may be in his or her possession.

VII. In case the By-Laws of the lodge do not provide for a Financial Secretary, the duties of that office shall be performed by the Recording Secretary; in which case the title of the office shall simply be Secretary.

VIII. To perform such other duties as, by the laws rules and usages of the Order, may be required of him or her.

IX. In filling up cards he or she shall, in connection with the name of the brother or sister, express the rank he or she has attained.

X. To assist the Financial Secretary in making out the semiannual report of the Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly.

Any Rebekah lodge failing to report and pay tax for a year shall be deemed an extinct lodge, and the Grand Master is empowered to take up the charter of the same.

XI. In all cases where a female candidate for membership in a

Rebekah Lodge shall have been elected thereto, the Recording Secretary shall notify the Subordinate Lodge located nearest the residence of the candidate of such fact, giving the name, address,

occupation, and marital status of the candidate.

XII. When a member of a Rebekah Lodge changes his or her residence, the Recording Secretary shall notify the lodge nearest the member's residence stating name, address, age, occupation and other information concerning such member which the secretary deems advisable. It shall be the duty of such lodge or lodges upon receiving such information to forthwith contact said member for the purpose of preventing loss of interest in the order by reason of changing location.

Sec. 44. Financial Secretary. It shall be the duty of the Financial

Secretary—

I. To keep correctly the accounts between the lodge and its members without prejudice or partiality.

II. To receive all moneys due the lodge, pay the same to the

Treasurer, and to take his or her receipt therefor.

III. To furnish and read to the lodge, on the first regular meeting of June and December, a list of the members thereof who are delinquent,

with the amount due by each.

IV. The Financial Secretary shall at the first stated meeting in January and the first stated meeting in July, report to the lodge the name or names of any member or members who are one year or more in arrears for dues; and it shall be his or her duty, without further order of the lodge, to issue notice under seal, to each member so reported, advising him or her of such delinquency and the amount thereof; and notify him or her that if a sum sufficient to reduce the indebtedness within the amount of one year's dues shall not be paid within eight weeks, that his or her name will be dropped from membership unless otherwise directed by a majority vote of the lodge. If the requirements of the notice are not complied with it shall be his or her duty to report the name of such member to the lodge for action. But at no time shall a member be dropped from membership without action being taken by the lodge and the result of said action spread upon the minutes.

V. To enroll in a book provided for that purpose, the names and residences of members of the lodge; and, from time to time, in a proper marginal column, the fact of death, suspension, expulsion,

withdrawal by card, or resignation as the same may occur.

VI. To attend the committee appointed to audit the books and

accounts, and render such assistance as may be necessary.

VII. To fill out the official certificates; to make out and serve all notices that may be required for attendance upon the sick, unless otherwise provided; and to such and all other documents, required to be issued by said officer, he or she shall affix the seal, which, for such purposes, shall be intrusted to him or her.

VIII. To deliver to his or her successor all books and papers

pertaining to the office which may be in his or her possession.

IX. To furnish to the Secretary of each subordinate lodge to which any member of such Rebekah lodge belongs a list of the members of said subordinate lodge who are also members of said Rebekah lodge; and thereafter to notify the Secretary of the proper subordinate lodge

when any brother shall become a member of said Rebekah lodge; and it shall be the duty of each Secretary of a subordiante lodge thus notified, that a member or members of his lodge are members of such Rebekah lodge, to inform the Secretary of said Rebekah lodge, without unnecessary delay, of the withdrawal by card, dropping, suspension, or reinstatement of such member.

X. To make out a Semi Annual Report to the Secretary of the Rebekah Assembly in such form as may be directed. Said report shall be read in open lodge, at the first regular meeting in January and July, and when duly approved by the Lodge and signed by the proper officers, forward one copy with the Assembly Per Capita Tax and Grand Lodge Home Maintenance Fund Per Capita Tax, in the amounts as designated in the Standing Resolution pertaining to these taxes due the Rebekah Assembly.

The Lodge copy of the report shall be entered in a proper book kept for that purpose which shall be purchased from the Assembly Secretary. When notified by the Secretary of the Assembly of an error in said report, he or she shall promptly respond and supply such information as will enable the Officer to make the proper correction.

XI. Generally to perform such other duties as may be required of him or her by the lodge, and by the laws and usages of the Order.

Sec. 45. Treasurer. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer—

I. To receive from the Financial Secretary all moneys for the use of the lodge, and give a receipt therefor.

II. To pay all orders drawn upon the funds in his or her hands when signed by the Noble Grand and attest by the Secretary.

III. To have the books and accounts ready for settlement at the expiration of the term, and attend the committee for that purpose, whenever so required.

IV. To deliver to his or her successor, at the expiration of the term, or upon resignation or removal, all moneys remaining in his or her hands, and all books and papers pertaining to the office.

V. To make a report to the lodge showing the exact condition of each fund at the first regular meeting in January and July of each year.

Sec. 46. Bond of Treasurer. No member shall be installed into the office of Treasurer until he or she has entered into an undertaking, with good and sufficient securities, to be approved by the lodge, for the faithful discharge of the duties of said office.

Sec. 47. Duties of the Appointive Officers. The appointive officers shall perform such duties as may be required by the lodge, or by the

Ritual, and the laws and usages of the Order.

Sec. 48. Trustees, Nomination, Election and Qualification Of. Each lodge shall on the first meeting night in December nominate and elect one Trustee who shall hold office for the term of three years from the first day in January following his or her election, and until his or successor is elected, provided that lodges newly instituted shall elect three Trustees, one to hold until the first of January following, one to the first of January following and one year, and one to hold until the first of January following and two years and then as above provided. No elective officer or any member who is indebted to the lodge shall be elected as Trustee and if he or she becomes indebted or is elected to the office, the office of Trustee shall become vacant and an election

shall immediately be held to fill such vacancy.

Sec. 49. Trustees — Duties Of. The Trustees shall have the general supervision and control of the funds and property of the lodge, subject to such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the By-Laws thereof; and shall see that all lodge property is insured as provided by law. They shall render a report on the first meeting night of January and July of each year, showing the amount and kind of property owned by the lodge, and a detailed statement of the investment of funds and securities taken thereunder.

Sec. 50. Officers — Compensation Of. The compensation of officers

shall be such as may be prescribed by the By-Laws of the lodge.

Sec. 51. Officers — Failure to Perform Duties. A failure or neglect on the part of any officer to discharge the duties developing upon him or her shall subject said officer to such punishment as may be prescribed

by the By-Laws of this lodge.

Sec. 52. Relief Committee. The Noble Grand, Vice Grand, Recording Secretary and Treasurer, and three members to be appointed by the Noble Grand on the first night of each term, shall constitute the Relief Committee, whose duty it shall be to visit such sisters as may be reported sick from time to time, to either of them or to the lodge within twenty - four hours thereafter, and continue to do so each day while they continue sick. The Noble Grand shall be chairman of the committee, and must report to the lodge, at each meeting the condition of such sister to be visited.

Sec. 53. Dues. Each member shall pay to the lodge as dues, such sum as the By-Laws of the lodge may provide but in no case shall the amount be less than five dollars (\$5.00) per annum. A member may pay his or her dues at any time, but if payment is made outside the lodge, then the dues so paid shall be credited to the Sister or Brother on the date of the next meeting subsequent to said payment.

Sec. 54. Dues — Penalty for Non - Payment. A member in arrears for thirteen weeks shall not be eligible to office nor entitled to participate in any lodge business whatever, except such as relates to

payment of his or her indebtedness.

Sec. 55. Members — How Dropped. All members who shall become one year in arrears for dues or fines after having been notified as hereinafter provided may be dropped from membership on proper motion but must be voted on separately.

The Recording Secretary shall incorporate in her minutes the action

taken by the lodge.

I. The Financial Secretary shall on the first stated meeting night in January and the first stated meeting night in July report to the lodge the name or names of all members who then are one year or more in arrears for dues, assessments or fines, shall serve upon each member so reported, a notice under seal of the lodge, advising him or her of the amount of his or her arrearage and if the same is not paid within eight weeks after the date of the notice, his or her name will be reported to the lodge for action. Service of such notice may be made by giving it to the member personally, or mailing it to him or her in a letter directed to his or her last known post office and the statement of the Secretary that he or she has made such service, entered on the records, shall be sufficient proof thereof. If a member thus served, shall fail to pay such

arrearage within the eight weeks aforesaid, he or she shall be dropped from membership, unless further time be given by the lodge; if such further time, so given, expires without the payment of said arrearage, then said lodge may drop said Brother or Sister without further notice.

Sec. 55½. A member declared suspended or dropped for nonpayment of dues who does not appeal from the action of the lodge within three years of the date of the declaration, shall be conclusively presumed to have been legally suspended or dropped from membership; provided, that this provision shall be inoperative prior to January 1, 1934, as to members heretofore declared suspended or dropped for non-payment of dues.

Sec. 56. Dropped Member — How Reinstated. Any person heretofore dropped for non-payment of dues, may be reinstated in the lodge from which he or she has been dropped by making application in writing and paying the prescribed fee. All applications for admission by reinstatement shall be referred to a committee, who shall investigate into the character of the applicant, and report at the next regular meeting when a ballot shall be had and all votes taken under this section shall be by ball ballot.

I. Within one year after he or she is dropped, a member may be reinstated upon payment of one year's dues or fines, by vote of a

majority of the members present.

II. If a dropped member shall not apply for reinstatement until after one year from the time he or she has been dropped the application for reinstatement must be accompanied with the amount of fee charged for an initiate or such lesser sum as may be prescribed by the By-Laws of the lodge, but in no case shall the amount be less than one dollar and if two-thirds of the members present vote in favor thereof, the member shall be reinstated.

III. A member dropped from membership for non-payment of dues and who makes application for reinstatement and for withdrawal card, for the purpose of uniting with another lodge in the jurisdiction of this state, may be reinstated and granted a final card at any time within five years from the date of suspension upon the payment of one year's

dues, and the usual price of a card.

Sec. 57. Conduct Unbecoming and Offenses — Penalty for Violation of the Laws — Mode and Form of Trials and Appeals. The laws as now contained or hereinafter amended in the Constitution for subordinate lodges. (Sections 77 to 144, inclusive), is hereby made applicable to and shall govern Rebekah lodges of this state in all matters pertaining to conduct unbecoming and offenses; penalties for violation of the law; mode and form of trials, and appeals, except that all appeals from decisions of a Rebekah lodge shall go directly to the Committee on Appeals appointed by the Grand Lodge, without first going to the Grand Master.

CARDS

Sec. 58. Visiting Cards. A member in good standing may, by application (personal or otherwise) to this lodge, obtain a visiting card, which shall be valid for any period of time expressed on its face. When the time has expired for which such card was granted, the member

must return it to the lodge.

Sec. 59. Application for a Visiting Card. Application for a visiting card shall be made in open lodge at a regular meeting, and if no one objects, the same shall be granted; provided, the Noble Grand and Secretary may, during the recess of the lodge, grant such card upon the writtern application, in the manner provided in Section 62 hereof; and provided, in all cases, that a member has no charges pending against him or her, is not in arrears and dues are paid in advance for the length of time card is to extend.

Sec. 60. Objection to Granting Visiting Cards. Should a member object to the granting of a visiting card, he or she shall, if required by the Noble Grand or the lodge, reduce such objections to writing. The Noble Grand shall thereupon appoint a committee of three to investigate such objections, who shall report as early as practicable. A vote shall then be taken upon the granting of such card, and a majority

of the members present shall decide.

Sec. 61. Duplicate Visiting Card. When a visiting card is lost a duplicate may be granted on the same conditions as on a lost

withdrawal card, as provided in Section 67.

Sec. 62. Methods of Obtaining Visiting Card Between Lodge Meetings. Application for a visiting card between lodge meetings shall be made in writing and accompanied by the fee, and certificate of the Financial Secretary showing his or her dues are paid in advance for the length of time the card is to extend; it shall then be endorsed by the Noble Grand and Secretary, and reported at the next regular meeting, and the fee paid to the Financial Secretary. The Noble Grand and the Secretary cannot receive dues between meetings and receipt therefor, to a member applying for a visiting card. The Financial Secretary alone has charge of the accounts between this lodge and its members.

Sec. 63. Withdrawal Cards. A member desiring a withdrawal card shall make application therefor, in writing, at a regular meeting. If such member is in good standing, the Noble Grand shall order a ball ballot, to be had and if a majority of the members vote in favor of granting the same, his or her membership is severed; in which case he or she is entitled to withdrawal card, upon payment of fee for the card.

Sec. 63a. Resignation of Membership and Certificate of Resignation.

I. A member free from all indebtedness to the lodge shall have the right to severe his or her membership with the lodge by tendering

thereto a resignation of membership in writing.

II. When one who shall have severed his or her connection with the Order by written resignation shall apply to the lodge in which he or she formerly held membership such person shall be entitled to receive upon payment of fee for the same, a certificate of resignation in the following form as prescribed by Section 199 of the Code:

Hall of ———— Rebekah Lodge, No. , I.O.O.F.

(Seal) Secretary III. If a lodge refuses to grant a withdrawal card, the applicant may tender a written resignation of his or her membership, whereupon, if

not otherwise disqualified, he or she shall be entitled to demand and receive, a certificate of resignation upon payment of fee for the same.

Sec. 64. Renewal of Membership. Renewal of membership in this lodge can be legally effected by deposit of card. The withdrawal card, certificate of resignation, dismissal certificate or written evidence of membership in a defunct lodge, and the proper fee must accompany the application, as the case may be.

Sec. 65. Right of a Member to Withdrawal Application for a Card. A member applying for a card may withdraw such application at any

time before the card is granted.

Sec. 66. Fee for Card. This lodge may charge a fee not exceeding one dollar for each card, which shall be paid at the time of applying therefor.

Sec. 67. Duplicate Withdrawal Card. Where a withdrawal card has been lost or destroyed, and the member to whom it was granted is in good standing, the lodge is bound to issue a duplicate card upon application, and the payment of the required fee, said card to bear the same date as the original, and to be in all respects like it, with the addition of the word "Duplicate" written thereon.

Sec. 68. Certificate in Lieu of Duplicate Withdrawal Card. Where a withdrawal card has been lost or destroyed, and the lodge cannot be satisfied that the member is in good standing and upon this ground refuses to issue a duplicate card, it may grant a certificate, under seal, setting forth the facts of the original issuing of the card; and upon this certificate the member may be re-admitted to membership and be entitled to the rank which he or she can prove to have attained.

Sec. 69. Method of Annulling Withdrawal Card. The vote upon granting a withdrawal card cannot be reconsidered or rescinded; but if it be discovered, before the issuing thereof, that the member has been guilty of an offense, the card may be withheld, and he or she brought to trial; or if it shall have been issued, he or she may be subjected to the same ordeal; and if convicted in either case, the card may be annulled.

Sec. 70. Members Holding Expired Withdrawal Cards Not Entitled to Meet in Public Processions, Etc. Members holding withdrawal cards, the time for which such members are entitled to visit having expired, are not entitled to meet in public procession or funerals or to participate in any lodge matter, or be entitled to recognition as members of this degree.

Sec. 70a. Transfer Certificate. A member of the Order who shall be in possession of an official certificate showing his or her dues paid not less than four weeks in advance from the date of his or her application for membership as hereinafter provided, and who shall desire to unite with a Rebekah Lodge may do so by making application for such membership accompanied by his or her official certificate and a fee of one dollar (\$1.00), and by complying with the law applicable thereto. If elected to membership, as provided by local law, the Secretary of the Rebekah Lodge shall immediately send notice of such election, together with said fee of one dollar (\$1.00) to the Rebekah Lodge issuing the official certificate and request such Rebekah Lodge to issue a transfer certificate for the member. The Rebekah Lodge upon receiving such request and fee, shall unless charges be pending against such member, issue such transfer certificate without ballot and send the same at once

to the Secretary of the Rebekah Lodge making such request. Upon the receipt of such transfer certificate, the member shall be entitled to sign the Constitution and become a member of the new lodge without the payment of any additional admission fee, and the Rebekah Lodge issuing such transfer certificate shall, upon receiving notice from the new Rebekah Lodge of the date of signing the Constitution of such Rebekah Lodge, refund to such member all dues paid in advance of such date.

The issuing of a transfer certificate by a Rebekah Lodge shall immediately sever the membership of the person to whom the same shall be issued from such lodge; provided that if the member shall die or desire to retain his or her membership in their former lodge and before completing membership in his or her new lodge by signing the Constitution thereof, the transfer certificate so issued shall be cancelled, and the member shall retain his or her standing in his or her old lodge the same as though no transfer certificate had been issued.

When a member of the Order shall transfer his or her membership from one Rebekah Lodge by transfer certificate to another, membership shall not be acquired in the new lodge until transfer certificate shall be received and deposited, and the Constitution of the new lodge signed, nor severed in the old lodge, until the transfer certificate shall be received and deposited and the Constitution signed.

DISMISSAL CERTIFICATE

Sec. 71. When Lodge Shall Grant Dismissal Certificate. This lodge shall upon proper application without vote grant a dismissal certificate to a member who has been dropped for the non-payment of dues, upon the payment of one dollar, provided no charges are pending.

1. A member dropped for non-payment of dues, wishing to regain membership in another lodge, shall be entitled to receive, and the lodge to which he or she belonged shall grant, upon application, a dismissal

certificate upon the receipt of one dollar.

Sec. 72. When Lodge Has Refused to Reinstate. Where this lodge, upon proper application, has refused to reinstate a member who has been dropped for non-payment of dues, he or she shall be entitled to receive, and the lodge shall grant a dismissal certificate upon the payment of one dollar.

Sec. 73. Deposit of Dismissal Certificate. Dismissal certificates do not entitle the recipients to the annual password, or the right to visit but may be received on deposit in the same manner as expired withdrawal cards, and upon the terms expressed in this Constitution under application for membership.

VISITING MEMBERS

Sec. 74. Method of Gaining Admission to a Rebekah Lodge — When a visiting member from another Jurisdiction desires admission into a Rebekah Lodge, after the lodge has opened, he or she shall present his or her card, or Official Certificates to the Outside Guardian, who shall send it to the Noble Grand. If the same be correct and the lodge is satisfied as to authenticity, the Noble Grand shall appoint a committee

of three, one of whom shall be the Vice Grand, the Noble Grand, a Past Noble Grand or a Past Grand in possession of the Annual Pass Word, who shall retire to the ante-room and examine the visitor in the Rebekah Degree; and it satisfied with the result of the examination, they will introduce the visitor to the lodge.

(a) If the lodge has not opened when the visitor arrives, the Noble Grand may appoint a committee and proceed with the examination.

Sec. 75. Order for Password. The possession of a visiting card, granted by a Rebekah lodge, the date of which extends to a date later than when the same is presented, or an official certificate for dues paid in a Rebekah lodge to a date later than that when the same is presented, properly signed and sealed, be and the same is hereby declared sufficient, proper and legal authority for any Noble Grand of a Rebekah lodge, upon proper identification, to communicate to the holder thereof, the Annual Password of the Rebekah Degree and if the holder of a visiting card or official certificate as above mentioned, is a member of a Rebekah lodge in the same jurisdiction as the Rebekah lodge to which the said visiting card or official certificate is presented then and in that event, the Noble Grand of a Rebekah lodge is authorized to communicate to the holder of said visiting card or official certificate, the term password.

Sec. 76. Indorsement on Visiting Card by Recording Secretary. When the visitor has been introduced to the lodge, the committee shall deliver his or her card to the Recording Secretary, who shall endorse thereon the date of such visitation; after which it will be returned to the owner.

Sec. 77. Noble Grand May Examine a Visitor and Admit. The Noble Grand may, prior to the opening of the lodge, examine a visitor and if satisfied, admit him or her.

Sec. 78. When Member May Visit Without Examination. A member of this degree from another jurisdiction may visit without examination when introduced by an officer of or a Representative to The Sovereign Grand Lodge; by an elective officer of the Grand Lodge of Iowa, or by an elective officer of the Rebekah Assembly of Iowa.

Sec. 79. Defective Card. This lodge, or a member, has no right and is not permitted to inform a visitor of any defect or omission, if such there be in the card or official certificate, (nor of any error or mistake in the examination), but the same shall be returned to the visitor, who shall be advised that he or she cannot be admitted.

Sec. 80. When Second Examination May be Dispensed With. This lodge may dispense with a second examination of a member who has once after due examination, visited the lodge on card or official certificate, and such member may be present during the opening, or work his or her way into the lodge; provided, that he or she present said card or official certificate, and it remains in date.

Sec. 81. Visitors Required to Register. This lodge shall keep a register in its ante-room, in which visitors shall register their names, the name and number of the lodge and its location, before being introduced into the lodge.

DONATIONS

Sec. 82. Manner of Making Donations. After making ample provision

for the payment of all legitimate and proper lodge expense and the payment of all lawful obligations, donations or appropriations may be made from the General Fund for Charitable purposes within or without the order, for the training of Youth and the service of the Community, by a two-thirds vote of the members present, however donations to members of their dues and fee is in violation of the principles of the order.

REINSTATION OF EXPELLED MEMBERS

Sec. 83. Proposition for Reinstation. A proposition for reinstation of an expelled member shall be in writing, and accompanied with such statements or documents as the nature of the case or the lodge may require.

Sec. 84. Referring Proposition to Committee. Upon the reception of such proposition for reinstatement, the same shall be referred to a committee, which shall report at the next meeting, or as soon thereafter as practicable.

Sec. 85. Proceedings Upon Report of Committee. Upon the reception of the report of the committee, if the same be favorable, the lodge shall petition the Grand Lodge or the Grand Master (accompanying the petition with such evidence as they may have in favor of the request) for permission to ballot on the petition of the applicant. If permission to so ballot be given, the lodge shall proceed to ballot upon the application, unless the question shall be postponed to a definite time by a vote of two-thirds of the members present.

Sec. 86. Vote Required for Reinstating. The vote required for reinstating of an expelled member shall be the same as upon an application for initiation.

Sec. 87. Admission of Expelled Member of Defunct Lodge. An expelled member whose lodge may have become defunct or surrendered its charter, wishing to become reinstated, may present an application, in writing, to this lodge, setting forth the facts; which application shall be referred to a committee of three, who shall investigate the whole subject and report to the lodge. Thereupon the lodge shall proceed in every respect as set forth in Section 85 hereof; such written application must be accompanied by the same fee as that required from an applicant for membership by initiation.

Sec. 88. Restoration of Suspended Member on Termination of Sentence. A member suspended for a definite time shall, upon the expiration of said period, be restored to all rights and privileges of a

member without further action.

MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS

Sec. 89. Lodge Funds. The funds of this lodge exclusive of Trust Funds, shall be expended for legitimate and proper expense, and the payment of Per Capita Tax or other fraternal and lawful obligations.

Sec. 90. Past Officers of Subordinate Lodge. A past officer in a subordinate lodge shall not be entitled by reason thereof, to any special privilege in a Rebekah lodge, other than wearing the collar of the highest rank attained.

Sec. 91. Regalia for Brothers. A brother who is an officer in this lodge shall wear the regalia prescribed by The Sovereign Grand Lodge for such office. All brothers, who are not officers, shall wear the regalia

they are entitled to wear in their subordinate lodge.

Sec. 92. When Jewels May Be Worn in Lieu of Regalia. When members are not occupying official positions, and who are in possession of and entitled to wear, Past President's Jewels, Rebekah Veterans Jewels, District Deputy President's Jewels, Past District Deputy President's Jewels, Past Noble Grand Jewels, District Deputy Grand Sire's Jewels, Past District Deputy Grand Sire's Jewels, District Deputy Sovereign Grand Master's Jewel, Past District Deputy Sovereign Grand Master's Jewel, Past Grand Master's Jewel, Past Grand Patriarch's Jewel, Past Grand Representative's Jewel, Veteran Jewel, Honorable Veteran's Jewel, Past Grand's Jewel, Past Chief Patriarch's Jewel, District Deputy Grand Master's Jewel, Past District Deputy Grand Master's Jewel, District Deputy Grand Patriarch's Jewel, Past District Deputy, Grand Patriarch's Jewel, Combination Past Grand and Past Chief Patriarch's Jewel, Department Commander's Jewel, Past Commander's Jewel, Decoration of Chivalry Jewel, Grand Decoration of Chivalry Jewel, P.M. Service Jewel, Past President's Jewel L.A.P.M., Association President's Jewel, L.A.P.M., Association Past President's Jewel may wear the same in lieu of regalia except in the Sovereign Grand Lodge, however no jewel acquired after January 1, 1937 shall be worn in lieu of regalia unless the same has been acquired from the Sovereign Grand Lodge.

Sec. 93. Charter Members. Any person eligible to membership in a Rebekah lodge is qualified to sign a petition for the organization of a Rebekah lodge, and, if such person be present at the institution of such lodge he or she shall be entitled to be enrolled as a charter member

thereof.

Sec. 93a. A Rebekah lodge cannot voluntarily surrender its charter, nor dissolve as long as five members in good standing desire to retain such charter and work under it. Provided, that when a vote upon the surrender of a charter is to be taken, notice shall be sent of all the members of the lodge in good standing.

Sec. 94. When Lodge May Appear in Regalia Without Dispensation. This lodge shall not appear in public, in regalia, without permission of the Grand Master of Assembly President, except on the Fourth of July, thirtieth of May, Twenty-sixth of April, Twentieth of September, I.O.O.F. Memorial Day, or at a funeral. No dispensation shall be necessary for a lodge to hold parties, sociables, or other entertainments, unless the members desire to appear in regalia.

Sec. 95. Tribunal. By signing the Constitution of this lodge each and every member thereof agrees that his or her rights and duties arising out of his or her membership therein, shall be settled and determined by the tribunals of this Order only; that their decisions shall be final, binding and conclusive in all such matters, and that he or she will not apply to the courts of the land to enforce such rights.

Sec. 96. Laws of Subordinate. When Applicable, In all matters not provided for in this Constitution, the laws of the subordinate lodge shall govern.

Sec. 97. Of Construction. When doubts arise as to the true meaning of

this Constitution, it shall be determined by the Grand Lodge.

Sec. 98. By-laws and Resolutions. This lodge shall stand fully invested with power to adopt such By-Laws and Resolutions from time to time, as may be deemed expedient; provided, they do not in any ways contravene any part of this Constitution of the Grand Lodge or the Rebekah Assembly, or the principles of the Order; a copy of which must be transmitted to the Grand Lodge and cannot go into effect until approved by the Committee on Charters and By-Laws, the Grand Lodge or Deputy Grand Master in recess.

Amendments to By-Laws when presented to the Deputy Grand Master must be in duplicate, giving proposed amendment and how section will read when so amended showing the same presented and read at a regular meeting, giving date, and laid over until a succeeding regular meeting, read a second time, giving date, and laid over until the next succeeding regular meeting and acted upon, giving date, the votes for and against such By-Laws, signed by the Noble Grand and Secretary with the seal of the lodge attached in the following form:

To the Officers and Members of ————— Rebekah Lodge, No.

I hereby propose the following amendment to the By-Laws: Amend Section ——— of Article ——— by striking out the word ————— in ———— line and adding —————— in lieu thereof, so that when amended Section ———— will read as follows: (Section as amended). Signed ——— —— Lodge, No. ———, —————, Iowa, ————, 19 We hereby certify that the above amendment was presented and read at a regular meeting of the lodge on the ——— day of ————— 19—, then laid on the table until the regular meeting on the —— with the following votes: ——— votes for, and ——— votes against the By-Laws. Witness our hand and seal of the lodge, the day and date first above written. Noble Grand

(Seal)

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Secretary

Sec. 99. Amendments — When a Rebekah lodge or member desires to offer an Amendment to the Rebekah Lodge Constitution to be acted on at the next annual session of the Rebekah Assembly and Grand Lodge, said lodge or member shall prepare in writing the proposed amendment and file the same with the Rebekah Assembly Secretary not later than September 1st before the opening of the next annual session and when so filed the Secretary shall have the same printed in her Report, such amendment so presented shall be considered by the Assembly before noon of the second day's session and if so adopted by the assembly shall at once transmit the same to the Grand Lodge. All amendments to the Rebekah Lodge or Rebekah Assembly Constitution must reach the Grand Lodge before noon of their first day's session. If

said amendment is approved by the Representatives of the Grand Lodge, it shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of January following approval.

I. Any amendment proposed and not so received shall be reported but shall lay over until the next session.

Sec. 100. A proposition to amend any section of the constitution having but one unnumbered paragraph, shall not be to strike therefrom or add thereto, but shall contain the entire section rewritten to express the law as intended and shall be a substitute for the section amended.

I. A proposition to amend one paragraph of a section having two or more numbered paragraphs shall not be to strike from or add to such paragraphs, but shall contain the entire paragraph rewritten as a substitute for the amended paragraph.

Section 101. ELECTION OF ASSEMBLY OFFICERS.

The Secretary of the Assembly shall send each Rebekah Lodge, in the Jurisdiction not later than May 25th of each year, a sufficient number of printed tickets with the names and residences of each of the nominees for Assembly officers together with duplicate blank returns for said election, enclosing printed envelopes to contain election returns directed to the President of the Assembly, marked "Election Returns for Assembly Officers." On the first regular meeting night in June of each year the Past Noble Grands in good standing in each Rebekah Lodge in the jurisdiction shall meet in their Lodge room and hold an election by ballot for the elective officers of the Rebekah Assembly. Immediately after the opening of the lodge the Noble Grand shall declare the ballot open for the receiving of votes for Assembly Officers and shall appoint two tellers to receive the votes and immediately before closing the lodge the noble grand shall declare the ballot closed, after which the Noble Grand and Secretary shall proceed to canvass the votes cast, throwing out all votes for anyone not regularly nominated and cause the results of the vote and the names of Past Noble Grands voting to be entered on the minutes. The Secretary shall immediately send to the President, by mail, on the form provided by the Assembly Secretary, a certified copy of the vote. The certified copy shall be enclosed in an envelope properly sealed and endorsed thereon: "Election Returns for Assembly Officers from Lodge, No. ——— Located at ————— Iowa.''

The President shall endorse on each of said returns, the date of receipt thereof as well as that of the first regular meeting night in June of the Rebekah lodge from which the returns are sent. The returns from any Rebekah lodge not mailed within ten days after the first regular meeting night in June of said lodge shall not be counted by the President of the Rebekah Assembly, nor shall any returns received by the President of the Assembly after the Monday preceeding the fourth Tuesday in June be counted or be of any validity.

Section 102. Limitation Upon Power of Disposition. No Rebekah Lodge shall have power or authority to dispose of its real or personal property and dissipate or distribute the same for the purpose of defeating the reversionary interests of the Grand Lodge having jurisdiction over it in such property, nor shall a Rebekah Lodge have power or authority to see, convey or otherwise dispose of its real or personal property except for the purpose of applying the proceeds

thereof to the uses and purposes of the Order and Rebekah Lodges shall obtain the consent of the Grand Lodge in session, or the Executive Committee during recess, prior to the sale and disposition of the real property of a Rebekah Lodge."

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